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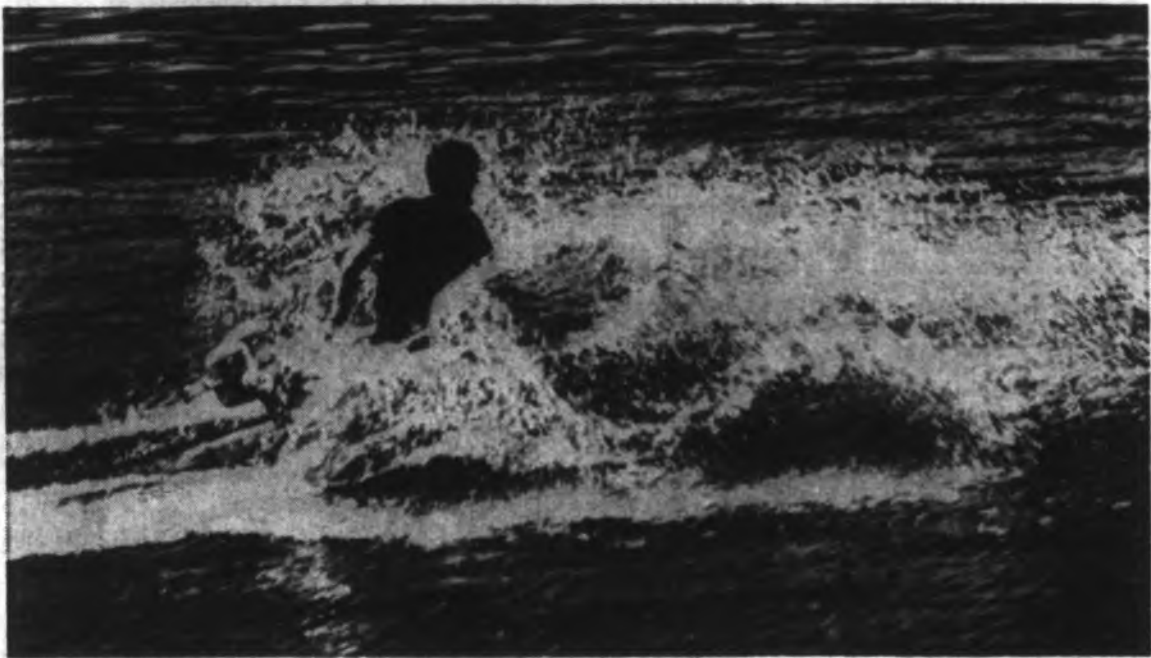
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The Great Bathtub Race Is Today!



Escorts, Trophies and Fun

Packed Island Centre Ready for Strait Start

By ARNOLD OLSON

NANAIMO—Nowhere in this carnival city Saturday could you escape the subject of bathtubs.

The city went wild with celebrations through the day, evening and night leading up to The Great Bathtub Race today. Hundreds, even thousands, of people poured in from other Vancouver Island points and the mainland. Every hotel was filled.

The shores were dotted with people watching the trials of the frail-looking vessels. Tubs were on display in hotel foyers and virtually every beer parlor, and also packed along the sidewalks. The CBC, BBC and CBS were

on hand, along with journalists from Canada, the U.S. and Australia. Nanaimo harbor will be filled to capacity this morning with tubs and an estimated \$8,000,000 worth of yachts, all waiting for B.C. centennial chairman Lawrie Wallace and Mayor Maffeo to fire the starting flares off Gallows Point on Protection Island.

Ceremonies are scheduled to start at 9 a.m. but, from there on, it will be anyone's guess when the race will begin — despite carefully planned schedules.

The plans of Nanaimo centennial chairman Frank Ney are for a tubfest of the estimated 215 entries from 9 to 30. Then the flares fire and the tubs head out of the harbor on the 33-mile trip across to Fishermen's Cove near Horseshoe Bay.

Every tub will have an escort vessel — that's what the yachts are for — and each entrant must wear a lifejacket and be able to swim 200 yards without assistance.

The method of locomotion could not be more varied — paddles, paddlewheels, oars, hydrofoils and sails, but mostly outboard motors up to a maximum six horsepower.

At least one entry has discovered a way to boost power without attaching a line to the escort vessel. It will "surf" all the way across on the escort's rooster tail.

Each contestant is awarded the Order of the Golden Plug — a real plug which is, like most everything else in this fantastic event, the brainchild of Mr. Ney.

More important, there are 65 centennial trophies for every

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There's A Tub In There

Underneath saltwater spray in Victoria last Saturday is one local entry in today's Nanaimo centennial bathtub race. Terry Pope, whose outboard can just be seen, pilots Shovelers' Folly, entry backed by employees of wheat pool at Ogden Point docks. — (Jim Ryan)

Fatal Army Shot Isolated In U.S. Calm

From AP, UPI

A U.S. army paratrooper shot and killed a fleeing Detroit Negro Saturday night, raising the death toll to 41 in the week-long racial riot that has become the worst in modern U.S. history.

It was the first shooting by a regular army man since paratroopers entered the city Monday on orders of President Johnson, but appeared to be an isolated incident.

Calm prevailed in other parts of Detroit and most other riot-troubled U.S. cities.

Police said an army-police patrol was checking a house for looted goods when a Negro with a pistol was seen. He pointed the pistol at the paratrooper, who fired his shotgun. Another Negro who ran past at the wrong moment was killed and the man with the pistol escaped.

In the ground war, a tank-supported detachment of the U.S. 9th Marine Regiment completed an overnight reconnaissance in force in the southern section of the demilitarized zone.

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Huge Decks Ablaze

159 DIE, LOST ON CARRIER

SAIGON (AP)—The toll in the fire and explosions that ravaged the U.S. aircraft carrier Forrestal in Tonkin Gulf Saturday soared in the first official announcement to 70 crewmen dead, 78 injured and 89 missing.

The latest casualty figures were announced as the flame-scarred carrier headed under her own power out of the Tonkin Gulf for the naval base at Subic Bay in the Philippines.

The fire, caused when an auxiliary fuel tank dropped from an A4E Skyhawk, raced across the flight deck crowded with jet aircraft fueled and armed for strikes against North Vietnam. It was the worst of three fires that have struck U.S. carriers off Vietnam in the last nine months. (See also Page 18.)

The disaster destroyed 25 jet fighters — bombers worth about \$50,000,000.

Some of the 4,300 crewmen, cut off on the 1,039 foot-long deck and lacking asbestos gear

in which firefighters worked through the three-hour holocaust, escaped by jumping into the sea.

Some of the 89 listed as missing possibly were aboard other ships that rallied around the Forrestal in Tonkin Gulf. The spokesman said a ship-by-ship canvass for Forrestal crewmen was under way.

Most of the wounded were transferred by helicopter to several other ships, complicating the process of accounting for all members of the Forrestal's crew.

On Oct. 26, the carrier Oriskany was swept by fire that killed 44, and on Nov. 4 eight men were killed in a fire aboard the carrier Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Engines Undamaged

Some additional planes of the 30 or 35 aboard the 76,000-ton ship, which was in the fifth day of her first Vietnam combat tour, were reported damaged.

With the jets costing about \$2,000,000 apiece, the loss in destroyed aircraft alone approximated \$50,000,000.

Her engines unimpaired, the scarred and smoke-blackened carrier headed out of the gulf in the night for a rendezvous with a hospital ship and then a voyage to Subic Bay.

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Red China Delays Congress

HONG KONG (UPI) — Chinese Communist party leader Mao Tse-tung has ordered the convening of the party's ninth congress for some time next summer, reports reaching here from Peking said today.

Mao said at the eighth congress a year ago he hoped the next would be this summer. The year's delay apparently is due to his fight with President Liu Shao-chi, who can only be fired by a congress.

Colombian Andes

Wide Quake Kills 200

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP) — An earthquake ripped through Venezuela Saturday night from the Andes Mountains to the Caribbean Sea, killing at least 200 by unofficial count and injuring 600.

It was feared the casualty tolls were mounting. The quake tumbled five apartment buildings in Caracas and damaged an estimated 250 homes.

Dispatches trickling into newspaper offices said the quake was felt from San Cristobal near the Colombian border to Naiguata, a seaside resort just east of here.

A 10-storey building crumbled to the ground in the Altamira district in eastern Caracas just three blocks from the U.S. Embassy. The embassy was not damaged.

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Arabs Pump Again

BEIRUT (UPI) — Saudi Arabia and Iraq have quietly resumed pumping oil through miles of Mideast pipelines to the Mediterranean coast for such countries as France, Turkey, Spain and Italy, it was learned Saturday.

Sources here said the pumping, stopped by the June war, has been resumed for all but the U.S. and Britain because of their "aid" to Israel. The resumption followed staggering losses for Arab oil interests due to the long weeks of inactivity.

Meanwhile, Egypt repeated it will not reopen the Suez Canal as long as Israeli forces remain on captured Egyptian territory. This caused Israel to repeat it won't allow opening of the canal without free Israeli passage.

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One Dead

Mountain Men Missing

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP) — A ground party seeking seven missing climbers found one man dead Saturday at a base camp at the 17,900-foot level of 20,300-foot Mt. McKinley, North America's highest peak.

An intensified ground and air search continued for six others missing since they radioed July 18 they had reached the summit and were starting down.

Officials said the man found at the camp "probably died of altitude sickness and the elements."

CONTACT LOST

The missing men were members of a 12-man U.S. party.

The officials said the seven-man party reported "all well" when they radioed they were starting their descent. After that, radio contact was lost and bad weather obscured the mountain for nine days, preventing any search flights until Friday.

Five others in the expedition were taken from the mountain previously and reached here Friday. Four of these made the summit ahead of the missing men, the fifth was sick.

Lieutenant Acquitted

AN KHE, Vietnam (AP) — A U.S. army court martial Saturday acquitted Lieut. John Patrick, 25, of premeditated murder in the slaying of a Viet Cong guerrilla suspect by his platoon. Earlier, his company commander also was acquitted and three enlisted men in the platoon who said they acted on Patrick's orders were jailed.

The commissioners, whose chairman is Illinois Gov. Otto Kerner, were told to shun politics and rubber-stamping and get the truth about the riots — and how to prevent them.

The commission was given until March 31 to come up with an interim report and a year to produce a final report and recommendations. Elsewhere:

● Fruit and fists flew outside the Pike Place public market in downtown Seattle during a demonstration by 20 people, mostly whites, against the use of federal troops in Detroit.

● A band of 60 Negro youths in Brooklyn hurled bottles at police and passersby until dispersed by a light rain. No injuries, arrests or looting was reported.



Crewmen fight flight deck fire, above, as copter speeds to rescue



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Only the In Crowd Can See Works

STRANGE DOINGS: The oddest things happen in Esquimalt. Here's the latest. It might be imagined by the ordinary citizen that his elected representatives on council can look over the municipal records in the course of doing the job they were elected to do. Not so in Esquimalt.

Coun. William Bell wanted to look over the financial records for a couple of years back, but was refused the books by the clerk. It seems the clerk was told by Reeve Ray Bryant that Coun. Bell could only see the documents when the reeve gave permission. Another councillor said he had no trouble getting access to anything he wanted, but added, "I don't feud with the reeve the way Bill Bell does."

So that's it. If you are one of the in crowd, you get to see the work. A funny way to run a council.

NIGHT SPOT: There may be another late night spot at Oak Bay Marina restaurant operator Clare Anderson gets his way.

Mr. Anderson plans to expand and extend his coffee shop at Mayfair to the end of the block and apply for a 2 a.m. licence.

The new room has not even a tentative name yet, but plans call for a sunken dining room, dance floor and stage. Music would be provided by a Vancouver group, and there would be entertainment. The project is expected to cost in excess of \$25,000 if the opening date of Nov. 1 is to be met.

Word is that Woodward's



think the idea is great, and plans are to go to the Liquor Control Board. One of its massive parking facilities. There may be a price war by the winter as the club operators vie for the steady customers. Over charges and drink prices could well take a dive.

WHERE INDEED: The navy gets the oddest letters, according to information officer Lieut.-Cmdr. Ray Workmald at CFB Esquimalt. The latest comes from a young lady who asks "the reasons for the present location of the naval."

So far Ray has drafted 17 replies, but hasn't sent any of them.

DRAWING CARDS: Cartoonist Stan Davison is still busy. Now he has come out with a new book of satirical drawings based on his experiences in the Royal Canadian Navy. It's titled "Canada's Greatest Navy or a Seaman's Eye View."

Another of his ventures includes a booklet of cartoons printed on gummed paper. The idea is for hosts to match the cartoons to their guests, and then use the cartoons as markers so the right drink goes in the right glass.

Stan is the author of Davison's Greater Victoria.

AT LAST: Finally the Indian Polistich has an opening date: Tuesday Helen Hunt will preside at the barbecue when Bud French opens his Chatham Street restaurant.

The 80-foot-long mural that runs along the side of the building is getting the finishing touches and Tony Hunt is decorating the inside cedar walls.

UNSPORTING, WHAT?: Old Africa hands are amazed that Congo Justice Minister Nsima has banned mini-kits. They say that many Congo people like to go backless, frontless, topless and downless. The Pigmy people have the original mini-kits, in straw, and the Africa hands say they are most attractive. So it all seems a bit odd to these chaps.

TRAINING SPELL: Three city militiamen are among six officers and 298 men from across Canada who will train for two months in Germany. Cpl. D. A. Moran, D. W. Spavin and Pte. R. L. Stevenson are on standby for the trip to join the 4th Canadian Infantry Brigade Group. More than 900 part-time soldiers applied to take the training.

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Tub Race

thing from the first to the last to the funniest to anyone who sinks.

Most important, there is a sense of sportsmanship and fun.

A lot of the fun came Saturday night on Newcastle Island, when many contestants split their time between making final tub tests and enjoying a salmon barbecue where Nainimo Indian band member Leslie Johns danced for good weather.

Too busy to enjoy the fun were sawmill owner George Dorman and men working on his last-minute entry. He figured the city would be so packed this morning that he has chartered a helicopter to airlift his tub to the starting line.

The forecast is for "reasonably good" weather with winds at 10 to 15 miles an hour. There'll be several flypasts as well as this morning's tubpat in the harbor.

One will be staged by 409 Voodoo squadron from Comox before the race, another by seven Sea Bee Flying Club float planes which will perform overhead before forming an escort at the starting line.

The interest isn't just confined to Nanaimo. Some officials are predicting B.C. Ferry schedules today will be thrown "way out" by the armada of small craft in the Strait.

Mainland police expect a bad traffic jam with streets in the West Vancouver finishing area filled and more than 1,000 vessels around the finish line.

And two U.S. warships on manoeuvres off the Pacific Northwest coast are reported to have asked the Pentagon for permission to break their patrol and watch The Great Bathub Race.

Quakers Plan Viet Donation

MONTREAL (CP)—About 200 United States Quakers plan to travel to Montreal Aug. 5 to donate money for the purchase of medical supplies for North and South Vietnam and the Viet Cong, a member of the Canadian Friends Service Committee said.

War Criminals Sent to Jail

DARMSTADT, West Germany (Reuters)—Four former storm troopers have received jail sentences ranging from three years to life for their part in the wartime murder of the Jewish population of Kolomea, Poland.

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Quake

A spire from a church crashed to the ground. Burglar alarms set off by the quake shrilled through the night, adding the confusion in this city of 1,700,000.

In San Cristobal the walls of the cathedral were reported cracked and two houses collapsed. In Los Teques, 15 miles southwest of Caracas, the roof of the cathedral crashed onto the nave.

AT LEAST EIGHT The expressway linking Caracas with the Caribbean port of La Guaira was littered with rocks and boulders that tumbled down from the mountain separating the capital from the sea.

Interior Minister Reinaldo Leandro Mora warned against looting and in a television address pleaded for calm.

A sharp quake hit neighboring Colombia early Saturday morning, taking a toll of at least eight dead and 100 injured. A weak quake struck parts of Colombia Saturday night but no new injuries were reported.



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Ulcers and Candy Will Mix, But Not Coffee and Smokes

By JOSEPH MOLNER, MD

Dear Dr. Molner: Is it dangerous for a person with ulcers to eat candy, drink coffee, and smoke about five small cigars a day?—P.S.

Coffee can increase the amount of stomach acid and thus irritate the ulcer. Smoking has a variable effect. Some doctors prohibit all smoking, others allow an occasional smoke. But excessive smoking (which ulcer patients, usually being emotionally tense, often do) can be distinctly harmful. Candy has no ill effect on an ulcer.

Dear Dr. Molner: Would you comment on the danger, if any, of taking elder, vinegar and honey, mixed with water, for arthritis?—G.D.

The principal "danger" is expecting it to cure arthritis. Both assured me it was impossible to choke on any pill they gave me, or on food that

Your Good Health

It hurts. Is this serious?—MRS. E.N.S.

No. Some women experience this pain when the egg, or ovum, is being extruded. It may even cause some bleeding, and tenderness can persist until the area heals. It is called mittelschmerz.

Dear Dr. Molner: I hope you can answer as a statement in your column is spoiling me. I had such a fear of choking that for six months I was unable to eat. I am now eating and drinking normally and am feeling much better. Small children have a much smaller windpipe than an adult, so we have to be careful not to let them get such small things in their mouths as peanuts, popcorn, buttons, etc.

But, Mrs. R.N., you aren't three years old. You know enough to be careful of things which don't dissolve, and you'll note that in the case I mentioned, the child came out of his experience unharmed.

The Weather

JULY 30, 1967

Small craft warning for the Juan de Fuca Straits. Sunny with a few cloudy periods. Little change in temperature. Winds southwest 15, occasionally rising to 25. Saturday's precipitation nil; sunshine 13 hours, 36 minutes; recorded high and low at Victoria 58 and 54. Today's forecast high and low 55 and 53. Today's sunrise 5:44 a.m.; sunset 8:55 p.m.; moonrise 12:33 a.m., moonset 3:40 p.m.

East Coast of Vancouver Island—Sunny with few cloudy periods. Little change in temperature. Monday, sunny with little change in temperature. Winds light, occasionally rising to southeast 15. Saturday's precipitation nil; recorded high and low 77 and 50.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Mainly cloudy, little change in temperature. Winds light, occasionally rising to

south 15. Forecast high and low at Tofino 68 and 54. North Coast—Cloudy, a few showers. Little change in temperature. Winds southwest 15. Monday outlook cloudy with a few sunny periods. Little change in temperature.

Five-day outlook: Temperatures through Wednesday will average slightly below normal. Chance of showers Monday.

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Mao Gains Upper Hand With Planes, Warships

TOKYO (AP) — With para-troops and warships, Mao Tse-tung appears to have regained the upper hand in the central China industrial complex of Wuhan where Maoists and supporters of President Liu Shao-chi have been clashing since April, a Japanese account from Peking said Saturday.

The dispatch from a newspaper correspondent jibed with an earlier dispatch of the Soviet Union's official news agency, Tass.

Quoting reports from Wuhan,

the Peking-based correspondent said that Mao Tse-tung's paratroopers loyal to Mao had seized a bridge over the Yangtze River, a telegraph office, a university and other buildings. The dispatch added that more than 10 warships sailed up the Yangtze toward Wuhan and would shell anti-Maoists if necessary. Wuhan is a three-city industrial complex with more than 2,000,000 inhabitants.

Mao is chairman of the Chinese Communist party. He is seeking to oust Liu on the

charges that he is taking the capitalist road and is lined up with the so-called Soviet revisionists, that is, Kremlin leaders allegedly revising Communist ideas.

Radio Peking said the leadership of the Red Chinese army in Wuhan, which was reported to have been in the past, and had pledged to stand with Mao.

The broadcast heard in Tokyo added that 500,000 Maoist revolutionaries and soldiers had

demonstrated Friday in Wuhan in support of Mao.

It contended that laboring masses in Wuhan had been deceived by a group supporting Liu but now are becoming Maoist rebels.

Reports last week from Peking indicated that Liu supporters in Wuhan had detained Security Minister Hsieh Fu-chih and propaganda chief Wang Li after they had gone there to halt the fighting.

They were freed and returned to Peking through the intervention of Premier Chou En-lai.



Burlap Bags Handy for Interrogation

Viet Cong suspects rounded up by U.S. Marines after amphibious landing near demilitarized zone of Vietnam sit with burlap bags over their heads as

they await interrogation. Makeshift blindfolds are intended for use in sandbagging U.S. positions. — (AP)

Rigs Aid 87

LAGOS (AP)—Two American oil rigs have taken on 87 refugees, including two Canadians, from Biafra, the Eastern region which last month broke away from the Nigerian Federation.

Hugh Keeley, spokesman for Mobil Oil Co., said today the oil rigs, Ocean Master 2 and Rig 39, are "well outside the 12-mile limit" of the Nigerian coast.

The refugees were taken to the rigs in helicopters.

Kelley said Ocean Master has a kitchen "hard to beat anywhere."

More Non-Communist Ships Call on North Vietnam Ports

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. intelligence reports show a recent rise in the number of calls by non-Communist ships at North Vietnamese ports, official sources said Saturday.

As a result, American diplomats are reported to have made known to the countries of the ships involved, including Britain, the continued U.S. interest in curbing such sailings to North Vietnam.

Washington policy is to discourage non-Communist trade with North Vietnam through diplomatic means, and the number of non-Communist vessels calling at North Vietnam dropped sharply from 402 in 1964 to 256 in 1965 and 74 last year.

After declining to a low of 20 in the last six months of 1966, however, the number of North Vietnamese visits by ships flying non-Communist flags was said to have climbed to 39 in the first half of this year.

The increase was attributed almost entirely to more British-flag ships under Hong Kong registry stopping at North Vietnamese ports.

British officials said the vessels from Hong Kong that are engaged in this trade are either owned by Communist interests or are under long-term, unbreakable charters to Communists. They said no ship registered in Britain itself has gone

to North Vietnam since January, 1966.

The other non-Communist vessels which have gone to North Vietnam this year include one Italian ship, one Maltese and several registered in Cyprus, the U.S. reports claim.

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CANBERRA, Australia (UPI) — Presidential envoys Gen. Maxwell Taylor and Clark Clifford arrived in Sydney early Sunday to a cold weather welcome indicative of Australian officials' expected response to their appeal for additional support in Vietnam.

They arrived 15 hours behind schedule because of jetliner trouble which kept them in the Philippines for nine hours. They were met by shivering cabinet ministers, top Australian military advisers and U.S. embassy officials.

Government sources said Saturday they understood the U.S. had asked for 2,000 men from Australia to boost the American's projected troop buildup figure. They said the best that could be expected was a possible increase of 1,000 men in the first half of 1968.

The sources noted even this would be contingent on other economic pressures and armed buildups in the Malaysian area.

Cong Gun Hits, Hides

DONG HA, South Vietnam (Reuters) — North Vietnamese troops are using a mobile field gun to shell this large U.S. marine base eight miles below the so-called demilitarized zone, American officers say.

The North Vietnamese tactic is to fire from the 122-mm. artillery piece, then take shelter with it in a prepared bunker before the American counter-battery hits, they said.

China Renews Kowloon Claim

HONG KONG (UPI) — China Saturday renewed its claim on the Kowloon Walled City, a 10-acre enclave in this British Crown colony that has been in dispute for nearly 70 years.

The Chinese accused Britain of violating their territorial sovereignty by sending police into the area, which in reality is neither walled nor a city.

When Britain signed its lease on Hong Kong with China in 1898 one of the stipulations was that Chinese officials would continue to have jurisdiction in the Walled City except when it conflicted with military defence.



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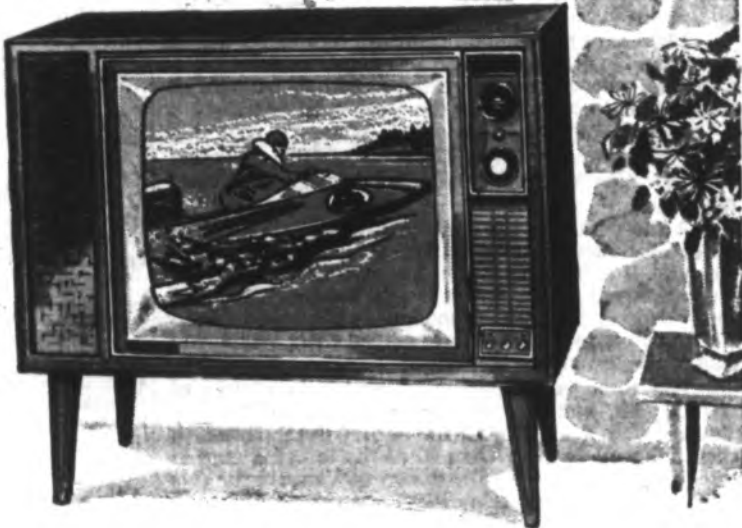
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Welfare Expansion

A REMARK by Labor Minister J. R. Nicholson at a social security conference in Kingston has given rise to a suspicion in some quarters—voiced notably by The Globe and Mail and by Senator Wallace McCutcheon—that the government is aiming to bring in a guaranteed annual income for all Canadians by the back door. The fear is that the plan will appear in the guise of unemployment insurance changes and without Canadians knowing, as The Globe and Mail puts it, "why they are doing it, who they are doing it for and what it is going to cost—in incentive as well as money."

Speaking about universality in the application of unemployment insurance, as well as of old age pensions and health insurance, the labor minister uttered these words which have been taken as portentous:

"We certainly have travelled a long road from turn of the century liberalism to an era in which prominent economists can seriously advocate the adoption of universal guaranteed annual income programs."

If there is a hint here of what is to come, it is surely a vague one. And in the actual changes in unemployment insurance which the government has now been authoritatively reported to be planning, there is not much to support the idea that the guaranteed income is going to make a substantial appearance at this door.

The cabinet's plan, according to Ottawa reports, is to bolster the insurance fund by requiring all workers to contribute, thus enabling the maximum weekly benefit to be raised from \$36 to \$65. About 2,500,000 persons now exempt would be brought into the scheme: workers earning more than \$5,460 a year, the self-employed and members of the learned professions, the armed forces, civil servants and police and a host of others.

This will mean that thousands upon thousands of Canadians with the utmost of employment security will be contributing and, at the other end of the scale, the most unemployment-prone will have the benefit of coverage. But an essential ingredient of guaranteed annual income is missing: there has been no suggestion that the government also contemplates extending indefinitely the period over which the benefits can be drawn.

On the other hand, there may be reinforcement for the suspicions in other remarks by Mr. Nicholson in the same address:

"The obvious and indeed the only solution to this (overlapping) state of affairs is the integration of our social security programs to a degree never before contemplated. Happily, this trend is already under way. . . . A prime example of an area where integration of government efforts is indicated is in the duplication and even triplication of paper work required by such programs as unemployment insurance, the Canada Pension Plan and the federal income tax. . . . It is an area in which we see the most pressing need for a satisfactory integration of operations in the near future."

It could be, thus, that the machinery is being prepared to have one social security program with several facets, unemployment insurance with its substantial benefits being one of them.

Whatever the case, it is clear that the government is heading into another welfare-state expansion which must be watched with caution by the nation lest the economy is outpaced and inflation nullifies the results.

Honor for Victoria

WITHIN THE NEXT few days golfers from many parts of the world will be converging on Victoria where for two weeks in August they will be taking part in international and national events on two of our district's most lovely and testing courses.

In the first week, the scene will be the Victoria Golf Club links at Oak Bay. Here the six top amateur golfers of Great Britain, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and Canada will be taking part in the Fourth Commonwealth Golf Tournament.

The Commonwealth tournament has never before been played in Canada and it is a rare distinction that Victoria has been chosen.

The first Commonwealth event was held in St. Andrews, Scotland in 1953 to mark the second hundredth birthday of the Society of St. Andrews Golfers (now known as the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews).

Since then it has been played at Johannesburg in South Africa and at Sydney in Australia.

It is apt that an event conceived to mark a notable birthday of the R. and A. should be continued in the centennial theme as part of Canada's 100th birthday celebrations.

The five countries play each other once during the five day (August 8-12) tournament at Oak Bay, with 36 holes being played each day.

Players of the winning team will receive the lovely Canadian Gold Medals which have been struck by the Canadian government for presentation to winners of international events during the Centennial year.

Once the Commonwealth tournament is over, the scene will move to Royal Colwood for the Canadian Amateur Championship and the interprovincial team matches.

Although this is the 63rd time the Royal Canadian Golf Association has staged its national amateur championship, it is the first time it has ever been played for on Vancouver Island, and it is also the first time that the provinces from Newfoundland in the east to British Columbia in the west have staged their Willingdon Cup championship on this island.

The Canadian Amateur is limited to a field of 160 players, and this will include nearly all of the players who are taking part in the Commonwealth event, as well as more than 40 of the top amateurs in the United States, who are drawn to Victoria for this clash of international celebrities.

The amateur championship starts on Monday, August 14 and the 36 holes final will be on Saturday, August 19, a fitting climax to a golfing festival which without doubt is the most important package of amateur events ever staged in one Canadian community.

Even to non-golfers such events as the flag raising ceremonies will make a considerable appeal.

The city of Victoria and the municipalities are fortunate to have the opportunity of playing host to so many distinguished sportsmen, and with welcome mats out in front of many doors, the hope is that our visitors will take home with them many pleasant memories of their stay among us.

As a great golfing voice once said, "Golf has its out-of-bounds, but it knows no boundaries," and that is the camaraderie that will be spelled out in Victoria next month.



Tenacious Tenants

Ottawa Offbeat

By RICHARD JACKSON, Colonist Ottawa Bureau

Parliament's Cost Doubled Since '63 With Spendthrift Policies in Vogue

LABOR Minister Nicholson, who can't be listening to Finance Minister Sharp, blurted out that inflation's gone so high, wide and handsome, that unemployment insurance benefits have become, as he describes them between quotes, "woefully inadequate."

And so, of course, he promises they'll be raised as soon as Parliament gets back into business.

Michael Sharp has been saying that while inflation remains something of a threat, he's got it under control.

Who do you believe, Sharp or Nicholson?

Now, who better can you ask than the Dominion bureau of statistics for the facts-and-figures truth whose computers presumably work without anybody, even Michael Sharp, applying any political oil.

Well, DES reports the consumer cost index—the accepted measure of prices on the retail market place—standing at an all-time peak of 148.8, based on what the bureau for years has called "normal" 1949.

The index is up 5.4 from last year's 143.4 at this very time. It means that what cost you

\$1 only 18 years ago, now runs you \$1.48, almost \$1.49—better than a nickel more than it did just 12 months ago.

That might seem to settle any argument there may have been between the labor minister blowing the whistle on inflation and the finance minister asking what's all the excitement about.

Well, on the basis that, of all Canadian institutions or establishments, it should be providing the shining example of economy and careful spending, Parliament is!

At least it seems to have been setting the spending pace.

And a pretty hot one it is. Its operating costs—and the statistical proof of it—is to be readily found in the finance department estimates— are booming more than \$1,000,000 a year.

If the cost-of-governing index was run like DES calculates its cost-of-living index, the figure for Parliament, based on "normal" 1949, would be something like 400.51.

Which means the Parliamentary services that just 18 years ago set you back \$1 now run you just under \$5.

For 18 years ago, back in "normal" '49, the same finance department estimates for that year record that Parliament cost a mere \$3,878,106.

And this year, the estimates put it at a startling \$17,211,400.

"Starting," that is, because the way Parliament does business, it has expensive afterthoughts on come and adds them later in the year as "supplementary" spending.

Last year, the "starting" estimate was \$15,021,125—but before parliamentarians were through, they had spent it up to \$36,940,855.

Two years ago, in '65, the bill was \$14,125,875.

So in just three years it has jumped \$3,000,000—and if Parliament follows form and spends another \$1,000,000 as it did last year, through the "supplementary" expenses, then the increase would run \$4,000,000 since '65.

Back in "normal" '49 when Parliament cost only \$3,878,106, MPs got \$6,000.

By '55 they were getting \$10,000 and Parliament was coming \$6,363,698. The price tag rose \$8,383,300 by '61.

And it was still only \$8,921,280 by '63—a bit more than double the \$3,878,106 of "normal" '49, and not really all that much of an increase over those 14 years.

But Parliamentary costs really took off when Prime Minister Pearson raised MPs to \$18,000, plus still-multiplying fringe benefits, and in just a year, had hit \$12,550,220, in '64.

Since then—in only four years—the bill has zoomed \$5,000,000 to the current "starting" \$17,211,400, with every chance of topping \$18,000,000 before the year's parliamentary spending is done.

What's doing it? Not pay, for it has remained steady at \$18,000 these past four years.

It's the "free" flip-flop to parliamentarians, but not the taxpayers—around Canada and junkies abroad. It's the "free" long distance phone service. It's extra pay here and additional allowances there.

It's the inflation Mitchell Sharp says he has under control.

Ask yourself: is Parliament all that much better to rate those additional millions a doubling of costs in the five years since '63?

Political Abduction Once a Crime Now Cause Small Stir of Conscience

By THOMAS NUZUM from Paris

TO some extent, Moise Tshombe appears to be a victim of the declining respect for international law.

His aerial abduction June 30 to Algeria would have been unthinkable if political kidnappings, formerly considered an international crime, had not grown commonplace since the First World War.

Napoleon stirred up a hornet's nest of antagonism in Europe when a detachment of French dragoons seized the Duke of Enghien in neutral Baden, Germany, in 1804.

The duke, 22, was one of the princes who was heir to France's guillotined King Louis XVI. The young prince was shot by a firing squad a few days later in a dry moat of Vincennes castle on the outskirts of Paris.

The duke had not been agitating against the French government. Yet Napoleon intended the duke's death to serve as an example for exiled French noblemen who were agitating.

The kidnapping helped lead to Napoleon's downfall at Waterloo. "It was worse than illegal," said Napoleon's crafty foreign minister Talleyrand. "It was stupid."

After the Russian revolution, Gen. Alexander Kutepov built up an organization of 40,000 White Russian war veterans pinning for the overthrow of the Communist regime. One day in 1930, Gen. Kutepov was snatched while walking to the Russian Orthodox church in Paris.

He was last seen struggling with two men in an auto. One of his captors wore a French police uniform.

Lightning may never strike twice in the same place, but the Russian police did. In 1936, Eugene Nikolayevich Miller,

disappeared in identical fashion. To this date no Westerner knows the fate of the two generals. They could have been incarcerated in the Russian Embassy in Paris, according to one theory.

In the same period, German Nazi Brownshirts were abducting and murdering political opponents in Austria. In 1939, they captured two British agents in neutral Holland after a wild shooting.

From 1945 until the Berlin Wall was built in 1961, more than 800 persons were kidnapped in Germany and West Berlin—mostly anti-Communist exiles and refugees.

In 1956, Jesus Galindez, leftist opponent of Dominican dictator Trujillo, was abducted in New York.

International abduction became more respectable when the Nazi exterminator of Jews, Adolph Eichmann, was kidnapped in Argentina in 1960 for a war crimes trial in Israel.

Notwithstanding the wave of modern abductions, the kidnapping of the exiled Congolese leader Tshombe would have been less conceivable without three precedents that were loosely linked with each other.

In 1956, French fighter planes forced down in Algeria the personal airliner of King Mohammed V of neutral Morocco. Five leaders of the Algerian rebellion, including Ahmed Ben Bella, were taken from the plane and imprisoned.

In February, 1963, Antoine Argoud, leader of the clandestine French army officers who mutinied because President Charles de Gaulle freed Algeria, was found bound and gagged behind Notre Dame Cathedral in Paris. He had been seized in Munich by persons unknown and smuggled across the border.

Finally the Moroccan leftist leader, Mehdi Ben Barka, was snatched from a busy Paris street at noon in October, 1965, and held prisoner by French hoodlums for the Moroccan government.

That particularly infuriated leftist Algeria, on bad terms with Morocco.

Although French police quickly got on the trail of the kidnappers, the hoodlums escaped the country, and Ben Barka's fate is uncertain. The ease with which they escaped is explained by unconfirmed reports that these were the same men who snatched Col. Argoud.

And that the French government therefore owed them a favor.

African observers here advance several theories to explain why Tshombe's plane was commandeered at pistol point by Francis Bodeman, a French casino cropper sentenced to 12 years' hard labor in 1955 for complicity in a double murder.

Bodeman could be an agent for the Algerian government, which might hope to win the Congolese President Joseph Mobutu over to the leftist camp by presenting him his enemy, Tshombe.

Or Bodeman could be working for Mobutu without having alerted Algeria to the impending kidnapping. Or else the ex-cropper could have captured Tshombe on his own hook while gambling on a reward from either Algeria or the Congo.

If Algerian authorities were not in on the plot, they could still be expected to welcome Bodeman. By delivering Tshombe, the ex-convict would be in a sense avenging Ben Bella and Ben Barka.

Algerian President Houari Boumedienne accused Tshombe in 1955 of arming Khider rebels led by Mohamed El-Dj

who was assassinated last January in Madrid. That could be a motive for a possible Algerian inspiration of the abduction.

Algerian hesitation to hand Tshombe over to Mobutu might be sincere. Algerian leaders have accused both Tshombe and Mobutu of responsibility for the assassination of the Congo's leftist leader, Patrice Lumumba, in 1961.

Lack of protest by foreign governments over Tshombe's abduction contrasts with the furor 106 years ago, when a U.S. Navy vessel intercepted a French steamship and seized two Confederate envoys to Europe.

Their captor was Capt. Charles Wilkes, already known for a globe-circling voyage of exploration in 1838-42. He became a hero in the Northern states for capturing the envoys. But the British called it piracy. They sent troops to Canada, with the backing of France, Prussia and Austria.

War probably would have resulted if the dying Prince Albert, Queen Victoria's consort, had not prevailed on Prime Minister Lord Palmerston to send a softened protest note that left the United States a face-saving way to back down. The note suggested that perhaps Capt. Wilkes had acted without instructions.

Back in 1870, Friedrich Wilhelm of Prussia had an opponent abducted who had taken refuge in Poland. The victim was bound, rolled in a carpet and hauled across the border in a coach. Then his head fell to the executioner's axe.

Friedrich Wilhelm got away with it partly because the kingdom of Poland was too weak to protest.

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By Pope and Patriarch

Doors Opened Wide To Christian Union

By GEORGE BLACK from Rome

MORE progress has been made towards Christian unity in the last four years than in the last four centuries, according to Cardinal Heenan, Archbishop of Westminster.

The next four weeks, in which the leader of the Orthodox churches returns the Pope's historic visit to Turkey, will provide some practical evidence for this belief.

Patriarch Athenagoras, traditional leader of 156 million Orthodox believers, has been quietly preparing to visit Rome for nearly a year. Last month he told Paul VI that he could come in August, with the hope, some fellow Patriarchs; but a few were either too old or too ill to make the journey.

Athenagoras himself, a buoyant 82, appears immune to the ravages of time. He was for years in charge of the Greek archdiocese of North and South America. But in 1948, on being nominated Patriarch, he returned to the city of his birth which he still calls Comestompolis. He explained cheerfully: "I'm the religious counterpart to the Truman doctrine."

The Patriarch's palace was a rundown villa behind a row of warehouses; his flock, in Istanbul, a depressed minority of 80,000 Greeks among the city's 10 million Turks. In the land remade by Atatürk, great Byzantine cathedrals were in ruins, or had become museums.

The Cyprus quarrel fired old animosities. Greek churches were burnt down in the riots of 1956, shops were looted and many lives lost. Thousands of sanctuaries against the Greeks have spluttered intermittently ever since.

By tradition, the Patriarch of Constantinople enjoys honorary primacy in the Orthodox Church, but its weak position in Turkey makes it difficult for Athenagoras to assert his leadership among the 15 Patriarchs of other lands. Prelates in Greece do not share his esteem: Makarios stands by the 15 centuries old independence of his Church of Cyprus, in Russia Church leaders must look elsewhere for guidance.

Athenagoras' pleas on behalf of the Patriarch who was unable to go to Rome were, in some degree, a concession that he could not woo them.

Why then did Paul VI surprise everyone, including the Patriarch, by deciding to anticipate his call in Rome by flying out to Istanbul?

A problem closely linked with Christian unity has been in the forefront of the Pope's mind since the Middle East crisis exploded—that of the future of Jerusalem's Holy Places—and he felt that it could not wait. When the Holy City fell to Israeli troops the Pontiff appealed for its "internationalization", recalling the United Nations resolution of 1948 whereby the Holy Places were to form a special enclave. But three wars and 20 years later this seems a less feasible solution and when his plea fell on deaf ears the question was re-examined.

Vatican diplomats pointed out that the U.N. consisted of a few dozen states, mostly Christian, when it voted for the creation of a "corpus separatum" in Jerusalem. Today the Soviet bloc influences a gathering of 120 countries, of every religion and none. The idea of a theocratic protectorate, the aged Crusaders' dream, seemed anachronistic and "colonial".

Russian intervention in the working of such a regime be overlooked.

For these reasons, while not publicly withdrawing his stand, the Pope sent Mr. Angelo Del Boca as ambassador-extraordinary to Israel early this month to seek a compromise.

At the same time to strengthen his negotiating hand, he assured Athenagoras of a welcome to Rome in August—then wrote himself proposing to visit the Patriarch at once.

"I couldn't believe my eyes—I read and re-read the letter," said Athenagoras. "What greatness of soul and mind!" The Patriarch keeps on his desk a picture taken in Jerusalem of his first historic embrace with Pope Paul in January 1964 which, he said, opened the way to reunion. Much has happened since then to bring it nearer.

The excommunications which Rome and Byzantium flung at each other in 1054 have been solemnly revoked. In St. Peter's, to the applause of 2,300 Catholic bishops, Paul VI came down from his throne to embrace Athenagoras' representative, the Patriarch of Heliopolis. In Istanbul, the declaration was read to a Vatican delegation led by Cardinal Sheehan of Baltimore, while many in the congregation wept openly.

A few weeks ago when the Vatican sanctioned common worship between Catholics and Orthodox, Athenagoras said union must come soon. Political rivalry between the two churches is no more. Few are — or know — that 1100 years

ago, in 867, Patriarch Photius quarrelled with Pope Nicholas I over the insertion into the Apostles' Creed of the "filioque" clause—the doctrine that the Holy Ghost proceeded not merely from the Father but also from the Son.

British prelates in Rome hope that the Pope's exchange of visits with Athenagoras will lead to another ecumenical move, this time in the Anglican direction. Pope Paul has yet to return the call made by the Archbishop of Canterbury in March last year when he was official guest of the Vatican for three days. Dr. Ramsey, too, will have his views on the Holy Places, which Pope Paul would learn on a visit to England. Some go so far as to suggest a "summit" meeting between Pope, Patriarch and Primate to continue the search for unity together.

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Trade Manoeuvre

EEC Six Cool To Sweden

By ROLAND HUNTFOOD
From Stockholm

THE Swedish Federation of Industries has petitioned Prime Minister Tage Erlander to apply for membership of the European Economic Community. Their action was dictated by fears of recession and unemployment if Sweden remains outside the Six and also by the government's indecision which is based on a suspicion that Britain will not succeed in her present application.

Of the Scandinavian countries, Denmark and Norway have already announced their intention of joining EEC. Denmark recently sent a reminder of her application to the EEC Commission in Brussels; Norway will soon make her formal approach. But the Swedes have not yet committed themselves.

The Swedish Government of its neutrality may be compromised by membership of EEC. The Federation of Industries, on the other hand, is so concerned with the economic implications, that they have played down the political aspects of membership. We have always believed that the traditional Swedish foreign policy of non-alignment in peace, and neutrality in war can be reconciled with membership of the EEC," says the Federation's petition. "Only negotiations for full membership can decide this. Perhaps this could be arranged in a special protocol."

This may be wishful thinking. Reports from Paris and Brussels suggest that the existing Scandinavian applications have not been well received, and that the French have been using them to argue that British entry will bring with it several small countries and hence a derangement of the work of the Common Market.

Moreover, EEC officials have said recently that there is no place for a neutral country in the Common Market. They are understood to have argued that the neutrality of a member would inhibit its development. The political aspects of a United Europe remain high among the aims of the Common Market.

The key to the Scandinavian applications is, of course, the success of Great Britain. The Swedish government is apparently banking on Britain's not getting into the Common Market, so that they will be relieved of the necessity of taking an early decision. For if Britain enters EEC, the Scandinavian countries will have to follow, in order to preserve their most important export market.

According to calculations made by the Swedish Federation of industries, 430,000 3,700,000 working Swedes will risk losing their jobs if the country remains outside the Common Market. This explains why the trades unions, broadly speaking, are also in favor of membership.

On the other hand, influential cabinet ministers fear membership for the restraints it might put on domestic policy. The ruling Social Democratic Party might have to withdraw the present state control of the capital market and modify plans for socialization to keep within the Common Market rules. A new state investment bank, financed by compulsory pensions payments, and intended to obtain control over large sectors of business and industry, might then be in jeopardy. And the new supra-national "Europa companies," say these opponents, would give private enterprise too much influence in Sweden.

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From the Scriptures

Jesus said, Come unto me, all ye that are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. — St. Matthew, 11:28.

Just Two Little Words —And Bennett Sees Red

It took just two words to make Premier Bennett blow his top at a press conference last week.

Those words were "red power," the phrase adopted by our militant younger native Indians to describe their struggle for equality of opportunity in Canada.

It obviously carries all those distressing (particularly for those in authority) implications of the Black Power wing of the civil rights movement in the United States. But this, on the surface at least, seemed little excuse for the premier to go off on a wild tangent.

What Mr. Bennett had to say, off the record, can be summed up in a charge that if Canadian Indians become an organized civil rights movement in this country, it will be newsmen and publicity-seeking politicians who are to blame.

In other words, ignore the problem and the Red Power movement will fade into insignificance.

Mr. Bennett chooses to ignore the findings of a social research team hired by the federal government which indicated racial hostility between Indians and whites in several Western Canadian cities was near to explosion point.

Rumblings, Indian spokesmen admit themselves, have already been heard in the past few days in Vancouver and Prince Rupert. But the premier says, everything's going to



CAPITAL REPORT

By IAN STREET

be all right provided there is no public debate. He isn't alone in the view that sociologists are overstating the gravity of what is neatly packaged and shelved under the label the Indian problem.

Attorney-General Bonner, who claims some first-hand knowledge of Indian affairs since he became the member for Cariboo last November, says authorities should ignore the sociologists and speak to whites and Indians in cities with large Indian populations. In Williams Lake, he claims, this kind of survey would show no serious escalation of the problem.

He makes no attempt, however, to deny that the problem exists. His solution, which the attorney-general concedes is unacceptable to a large segment of the Indian population, is to move the native peoples to large population centres where jobs are more plentiful.

Isn't this how the Negro ghettos, breeding grounds of

the ugly race riots south of the border, were formed? Provincial authorities tend to blame all of the Indians' woes on paternalistic policies of the Indian affairs department. They see the dark clouds disappearing and the sun breaking through as soon as the province's more than 40,000 Indians come under provincial rather than federal jurisdiction.

Negotiations to this end are under way but apparently quiescent for the present. Understandably, many of the Indians concerned view the proposed changeover with some alarm, seeing it as a loss of their special status and eventually reserve lands as well.

The NDP has shown itself to be most politically aware of the Indian vote in this province. The party has one MLA, Frank Calder of Akin, and on MP, Frank Howard of Skeena, who are of the Indian race, and Burrard MLA Tom Berger, who unsuccessfully

sought the party leadership this spring rose to prominence as a defender of Indian rights. Perhaps it was to offset Mr. Berger's charge that Indian reserves are a form of "apartheid" that Premier Bennett gave Municipal Affairs Minister Campbell the nod to propose establishment of municipalities on Indian reserves. This move is strongly supported by Mr. Calder.

Mr. Campbell, a pragmatist, believes the problems of maintaining Indian ownership of lands within the proposed municipalities can be overcome. But at best it promises to be a slow process.

From the B.C. viewpoint the main stumbling block appears to be (what else?) money. It seems Mr. Bennett won't seriously discuss transfer of jurisdiction until Ottawa agrees to hand over money to meet the added cost of services to reserve-dwellers. It remains a sore point with Indians that while paying most B.C. taxes they don't qualify for a full range of provincial services unless living off the reserves.

Meanwhile, Alberta's Blood Indians have made a gesture of confidence in federal administration by electing Arthur Laing an honorary chief, the first minister of Indian affairs to be so honored. And the young Indians, who advocate Red Power grow impatient.

The Things People Say

I am not playing at James Bond. — Franz-Josef Strauss, West German minister of finance.

If people tell you that we have had a Hitler then you must say that Hitler was not a German, and that he was not normal either. — Heinrich Lübke, West German president, addressing students.

The medicine of unemployment is the disease, not the cure. — Frank Cousins.

Down with the Johnson Kosygin plot! — Nesti Nase, foreign minister of Albania.

Justice is not a cloistered virtue. — Judge Sir Owen Temple-Morris.

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Let's Remember 1964 And Forget de Gaulle

In the light of the past week's events and the action of city council in adding its weight to the rebuke given Gen. de Gaulle by our prime minister and Mayor Drapeau, of Montreal, it might be wise to recall the visit to Victoria in November, 1964, of the 100-odd mayors and reeves, members of L'Union des Municipalités de Quebec.

These municipal leaders represented a cross-section of cities, towns and hamlets from every part of the province and their trip to Victoria was made with the express intention of engendering and fostering goodwill between the two provinces.

There are plenty of people in British Columbia and particularly in this city, with its strong British tradition, who are hostile to French Canada and it was feared that there could be unpleasant incidents during the visit.

CITY HALL COMMENT

By A. H. MURPHY



Not only was there no hostility (at least none openly expressed) but the whole effort was considered to be a rousing success and a bridge between the people of the two provinces — a bridge which was reinforced the following year when a delegation from Victoria visited Quebec and were wonderfully entertained.

It was further strengthened later by a courtesy visit to Victoria by Mayor Drapeau and a group from Montreal.

Victorians went out of their way to be nice to the French-Canadian leaders and they made a magnificent job of it. Banquets and receptions became genuinely emotional occasions and the whole project ended up in a letter of Canadian brotherhood and friendship.

The Quebecers were no less responsive and many solid friendships were formed — friendships which were buttressed during the reciprocal visit to the eastern province.

It would be idiotic to assume that there were no separate-minded people among the Quebec delegates but most of the Victorians who met them formed the conviction that they were, in the large majority, middle-of-the-road types who sincerely wanted Canadian unity within the framework of freedom for their own way of life.

There was a genuine effort at reciprocity on both sides and that is why the crude divisive action of de Gaulle is felt, at least in municipal circles, a bit more in Victoria, perhaps, than elsewhere.

The fundamentals of friendship have been eroded somewhat between the 1964 visit and now but the action of a foreigner should not be allowed to further damage them.

No Longer 150 Pupils in a Class

Count Your Blessings

One little thing we can celebrate this centennial year is that elementary school classes no longer total 150 pupils, as they sometimes did a century ago.

Teachers don't "board around" the school district anymore, girls aren't begrudged schooling and parents don't have to pay extra to put their children beyond the three Rs.

These were the realities of public education in the first year of Confederation. Primitive though the schoolhouse was in 1867, it was beginning to receive the changes needed to haul Canada out of the backwoods.

A fine thumbnail sketch of Canadian public education at the time of Confederation has been supplied by Dr. F. Henry Johnson, writing in the University of B.C.'s Journal of Education.

Dr. Johnson is a professor and director of the elementary division of UBC's faculty of education. A former Victorian (he taught at the old Normal School), Dr. Johnson is also author of a history of public education in B.C.

"In the Canada of 1867, free elementary schooling for every man's child was an objective not everywhere enjoyed," says Dr. Johnson. Only Nova Scotia had a province-wide free school system. Schooling — which meant elementary education —

A LOOK AT LEARNING

By BILL STAVDAL



wasn't yet compulsory, nor was school taxation in most areas. Only the avant garde advocated universal compulsory education.

Grammar schools, or secondary education, were open to those youngsters whose parents could pay the fees. Their standards of education were uneven.

Grammar schools accepted girls because they needed the money. The young ladies studied French instead of Greek and Latin because it was considered more feminine.

But modernization of the system was on the way even before elementary education became universal. George Paxton Young, Ontario's inspector of grammar schools, argued for "... high schools in which the English language and literature and physical sciences should be taught

system had been adopted. It was partly because of the graded textbooks imported from Britain.

"The pupil-teacher ratio was by modern standards appalling," says Dr. Johnson. "A class of 80 was not considered by trustees to constitute serious overcrowding, although it might require a schoolmaster who was 'a good disciplinarian'."

"Sometimes women teachers of junior divisions found themselves in charge of 150 lively pupils!"

The rod kept order in the one-room schoolhouses. However, Egerton Ryerson, Ontario's school superintendent and Canada's most famous educator, was condemning corporal punishment except as a last resort.

A favorite entertainment was public examination time, when whole communities jammed schoolhouses to watch the annual show.

"Pupils were called on to

show their skill in oral reading, in mental arithmetic, in spelling and singing," says Dr. Johnson.

Teaching as an occupation went around a vicious circle. Because it had low social status and paid little, it attracted few people of talent. Because undistinguished people taught, it continued to be looked down on.

"New Brunswick in the years prior to Confederation had scandal after scandal among its teaching staff — teachers charged with seduction of their pupils, women teachers giving birth to illegitimate children, charges of drunkenness, selling liquor and falsifying school returns."

But things were looking up for teachers, and for education in Canada. The Teachers' Association of Canada West held its first meeting in Toronto in 1869.

And Egerton Ryerson, arguing for compulsory schooling, wrote in 1864:

"... There is no instance of a people being wealthy and civilized, much less free and great, in the absence of education."

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Ryerson today would likely ask: Can we afford not to?

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Drapeau's Gain Impressive

OTTAWA (CP)—In the political confusion left by the visit of French President de Gaulle, one man seems to have scored a clear gain.

He is Jean Drapeau, diminutive and dynamic mayor of Montreal.

There had been speculation before the de Gaulle visit that Drapeau was under pressure to join the scramble for the Conservative party's national leadership crown.

HAS ENOUGH

He is reported to have turned this aside with the argument that he has more than enough to do administering Canada's largest city, with multiplied responsibilities this year because of Expo 67.

But if he should decide in future to toss his hat into a larger political ring his performance with Gen. de Gaulle could be a big plus.

From the start the de Gaulle visit sparked backbiting and infighting between federal officials and those under the Union Nationale government of Premier Daniel Johnson.

It was responsible for such things as press briefings called at the same time in different places by federal and provincial organizers.

AFTER NAZIS
Along the Quebec-Montreal route, with Premier Johnson at his side, Gen. de Gaulle repeatedly referred to Quebecers showing a spirit of liberation, similar to what he had found in France after the Nazis were driven out.

On arrival in Montreal, he voiced the Quebec separatist slogan "vive le Quebec libre."

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Stanfield Stresses Quebec Viewpoint

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP)—Premier Stanfield of Nova Scotia, campaigning for the national Progressive Conservative live leadership, says the urgency he attaches to the problem of federal relations with Quebec "frankly was one of the reasons I got into this."

He declined at a news conference here Saturday to say flatly that various viewpoints on this issue might decide the outcome of the national leadership convention in Toronto in September.

ONE REASON
However, "one of the reasons I'm taking a crack at this is the urgency that I attach to it. I'm not at all happy at the way we have handled it in the past."

He agreed serious study should be given to the idea of rewriting the constitution if necessary but added "so far we haven't even been able to agree on an amending formula. How much longer would it take to rewrite certain parts of it?"

The key was "patience and hard work" over a long period of time. There is no easy slogan that will do it.

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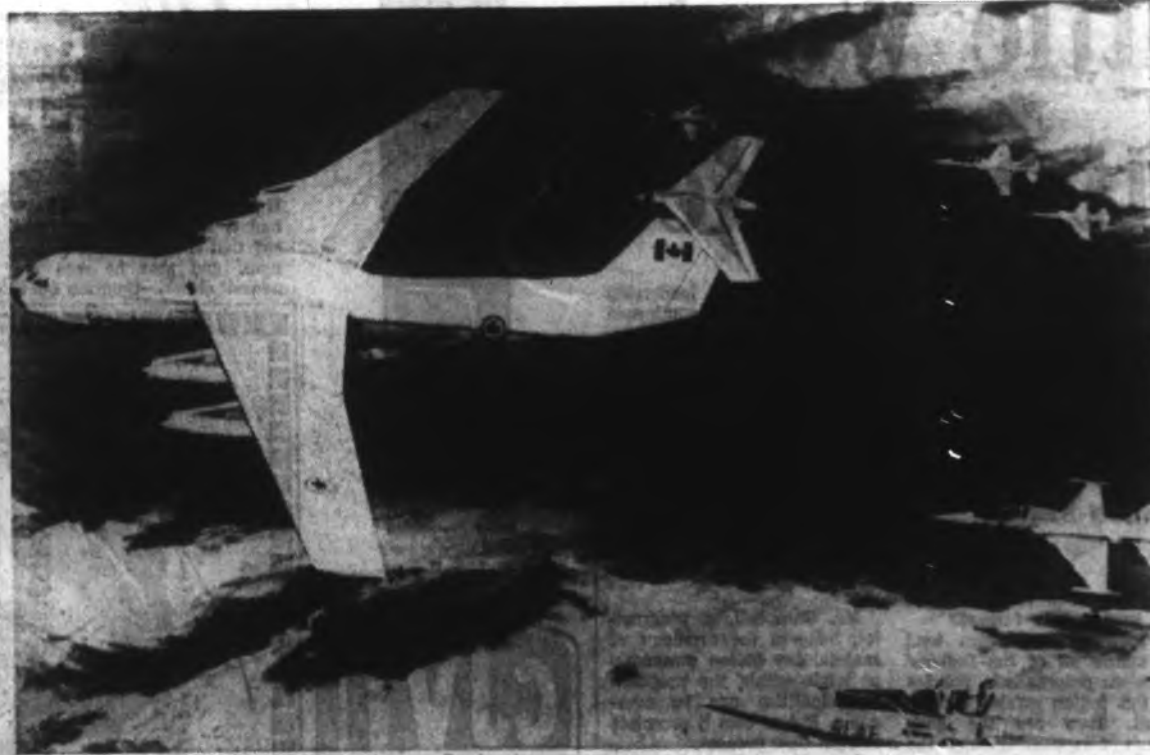
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Birthday Bash Planned for Ma

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Canada Bidding For Starlifters

The government has authorized the department of defence production to conduct negotiations with the United States government with a view to purchasing four Lockheed C-141 Starlifter aircraft, each powered by four Pratt and Whitney fanjet engines.

Negotiations are being centred on the model now in use with the United States Air Force but with the addition of an in-flight refuelling capability.

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Names in the News

He Cleared All But One

TACOMA — Robert Kaveel, motorcycle daredevil from Butte, Mont., tried to leap 16 small cars at a speedway near Puyallup and cleared all but one. He is reported in good condition at a hospital here, suffering a brain concussion.

NAIROBI — Texas Gov. John Connally and his wife plan to write their account of the events leading up to president John F. Kennedy's assassination, the Sunday nation says.

MOOSE JAW — Walter Beattie, 73, of Vancouver, was committed to Weyburn Mental Institution here for examination in connection with a stabbing incident on a bus July 23.

PORTLAND — Convicted murderer John Hawkins, who overpowered police when he escaped, is keeping them baffled as they can find no clues. Hawkins was being taken from Walla Walla to Vancouver, Wash., where he was to be sentenced to hang for first degree murder.

SAO PAULO — Former French premier Georges Bidault has left here by air for New York on his way to a new exile in Belgium, airport officials disclosed.

WINNIPEG — Noah Carpenter of Sachs Harbour, Banks Island, N.W.T., may become Canada's first Eskimo doctor, says the University of Manitoba, adding it was "proud" to announce that Mr. Carpenter was the first Eskimo to be accepted into a Canadian medical school.

ST. PAUL, Minn. — Doctors have cut open Mal Tal, the elephant's throat but still have not been able to get the stone out of it. Veterinarians at the University of Minnesota are trying to figure out what to do now to dislodge the potato-sized stone.

CAIRO — Gen. Abdel Monem Riad, chief of staff of the Egyptian Army, has returned here after more than two weeks of talks with top military figures in Moscow.

MONTREAL — Ruth Ann McCarter, 21, a student of speech and drama from South Carolina,



Connally

has been named World Queen of Posture.

BRUSSELS — Premier Paul van den Boeynants has announced Belgian aid to The Congo will remain unchanged at \$30,000,000 a year if the Congolese government gives adequate guarantees for the safety of Belgian nationals there.



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Twenty Belgians were reported killed in The Congo earlier this month.

CHICAGO — Two hooded gunmen bushwhacked an associate of teamsters union boss James Hoffa, but the intended victim escaped after dodging four shotgun blasts. The shooting occurred as Allen Dorfman and Perry Banks were getting into a car in front of Dorfman's home in suburban Riverwoods.

CHESTER, England — The ministry of agriculture and fisheries told Arthur Steford, 69, he was too old to continue as chairman of the committee for inshore fishermen. New chairman, Charles Crowder, 77, was elected.

NICOSIA, Cyprus — The House of Representatives voted un-

animously to extend President Makarios' term for another year because "prevailing conditions do not permit holding elections." His term originally expired in August, 1965, but has been renewed annually.

ALTON, Ill. — Dancer-choreographer Katherine Dunham said she was "manhandled" and arrested on "false charges" by police in East St. Louis, Ill. "A couple of them... twisted my arm and they arrested me,"

Miss Dunham said. She is a Negro. Police denied the charges.

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During the four-day meeting, Mr. Hook will be presented with six awards for his underwater photography.

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The location for the proposed West Coast tournament has not yet been selected.

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Guards took him to the international arrivals building and placed him in the custody of U.S. immigration authorities.

hardy," and indicated there was a certain amount of danger involved.

An airline spokesman said that the air freighter flew at 31,000 feet across the Atlantic, which was about 5,000 feet lower than usual. This, he said, "helped a lot" in terms of the temperature in the compartment in which the boy made the flight.

Officials said they planned to put the boy on the first available flight to London.

Stephen told his questioners that he "wanted to see America," and added that his parents believed he had gone off on a "fishing trip."

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The boy told officials he was Stephen Wilkins, of Grimsby, Yorkshire, England.

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Sundays, 2:30, recorded concert.

GOOD NEWS! No extra charge for entertainment or romantic night lighting, just regular admission.

NOTE! GET ALL THE EXCITING DETAILS... REFER TO "ENTERTAINMENT GUIDE" COLUMN, PAGE 9.

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TUESDAYS, 8:30 p.m. "Pops" Concert. Featuring the Butchart Gardens "Pops" Orchestra in a program of light classics and Broadway show music. Thirty-piece orchestra under the direction of Howard Denkin with vocalists Ruth Champion and Harry Elson. 7:00 and 7:45 p.m., "Zingari" Puppets.

WEDNESDAYS, 8:30 p.m. Sparkling stage revue, "Just for Fun."

THURSDAYS, 8:30 p.m. Scottish and Variety Night: Colorful Scottish Stage Show and Tattoo. Thrill to the pipes and drums as the Canadian Scottish Regiment Band (Princess Mary's) march into and parade in the great Stage Show Gardens. The Scottish Dancers, the "X" Tumbler, John Dunbar, baritone, emcee; Grace Lux, Dorothy Hoie, Murray McAlpine and Robin, Norman Windquist, Sheila Woodley and Brenda Porter, Grace Timp, Dave Burne, and 145 p.m., "Zingari" Puppets.

FRIDAYS, 8:30 p.m. Sparkling stage revue, "Just for Fun."

SATURDAYS, 7:30 and 9 p.m. "Zingari" Puppets.

SUNDAYS, 2:30 p.m. Recorded music; 3:30 and 4:30 p.m., "Grace Timp" Puppets.

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FOREST MUSEUM—best family attraction is closest to home, just north of Duncan and it's well worth a special trip. . . The biggest attraction is a mile-long ride through woods and over a lake cove trestle bridge on a real toothy steam locomotive train. . . Join Mike—Victoria Daily Times, June 24. Open from 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., seven days a week to the end of September. Turn at Old One Spot Locomotive, one mile North of Duncan.

SAILING IS FUN—Try a few hours or longer in one of these fully equipped boats at Ocean Race, accommodation 4; evenings, days, weekends; skippered. 42' Ocean Racer, accommodation 5; hourly—min 3 hours; daily, weekly or longer; skippered. 25' fiberglass sloop, \$7.50 per hour; min. 2 hours. Skippered. 14' Flying Junior sailing dinghies at reasonable rates to competent sailors. Also skippered power cruisers available by hour, day or longer. Oak Bay Yacht Club at the Marina, 388-5212.

FABLE COTTAGE—Dreamhouse Hideaway becomes a "visitors' delight." Take advantage of this rare opportunity to visit one of the world's most unusual homes. Situated on beautiful Cordova Bay just off Highway 17, a few minutes from city centre, 5187 Cordova Bay Road. Open daily 10 a.m. to dusk. Guided tours.

WOODED WONDERLAND—One of the most unusual and delightful family attractions in Victoria. See over 60 favorite storybook characters transform a lush woods into a fairytale forest. Located at Beaver Lake Park, just 6 miles north of Victoria along Hwy. 17.

BASTION'S gay, gorgeous musical comedy **LITTLE MARY SUNSHINE**, on stage 8:30 nightly in Victoria's unique and captivating McPherson Playhouse on Centennial Square. Box Office 388-6112. And 2 p.m. daily, a children's show the whole family will love—a modern musical adaptation of **THE THREE BEARS**.

"GHOST TOWN"—24 Frontier buildings and scenes, 5,000 authentic Western antiques. Only 7 1/2 miles from Victoria City centre, on Millstream Rd. off Hwy. No. 1 between Thetis Lake and Goldstream Park. Watch for road directional signs on highway. 9 a.m. to dusk daily.

SOOKE HARBOUR HOUSE—24 miles southwest of Victoria along Sooke Road. Overlooking the beautiful snow peaks of the Olympic Range across the Strait of Juan de Fuca. Guided fishing, live entertainment. See the seals and gardens. Reservations: 642-5613. Closed Mondays.

HEATHERBELLE OUTDOOR DOG THEATRE—4551 West Saanich Road, Hwy 17A. 40 costumed dogs, 26 spectacular acts, 10 to 50-ft. stag shows daily, 2:35, 3:15 and illuminated at 7:30 and 8:30 p.m. Comfortable seating. Adults \$1, students 75c, children 50c. 479-2651.

CHENATOWN ORIENTAL MUSEUM—A hole in the wall opens to reveal incredible treasure and a mystic tour of the Orient. A unique experience no one should miss. Open daily, 10 a.m. (Sun. 12) to 8 p.m. or by appointment. One block north of Centennial Square, 1802 Govt. 382-6812.

RED LION INN—Dance to the music of the Irvin Laing Trio with song stylings by Brian Anderson from 8:30. Refrigerated air-conditioned lounge, jazz, evening at the Red Lion even more comfortable and enjoyable. Cabaret nightly, 5:30 until 2 a.m. Reservations, 385-3368.

UNDERSEA GARDENS—See the beautiful and mysterious world on the ocean floor through windows under the sea. Over 3,000 man-made coral reefs in the natural ocean habitat. Special scuba diving shows every hour. Octopus, sea flowers, 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily. Oak Bay Marina.

THE OLD FORGE—Dancing nightly 'til 2 a.m. in luxurious surroundings—one of Canada's top night spots. 24-hour reservation service. Phone 385-9913. Situated at Douglas and Courtney Street.

BLUE LINE/OKAY LANE BUTCHART GARDENS EVENING TOURS—Buses leave from front of Empress Hotel nightly at 7:30. Fare, \$3.50, includes Gardens and entertainment. 382-9251 or 385-4411.

MALTWOOD ART MUSEUM (University of Victoria)—4500 W. Saanich Road. Fine Oriental collection and early English furniture in an unusually beautiful setting. Open 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. daily, closed Monday.

THE BEACHCOMBER RESTAURANT—Dance in tropical splendor to the music of Dave Napper with his piano and organ. Tuesday through Saturday, 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. 386-2288. Location: Douglas at Broughton.

McPHERSON THEATRE RESTAURANT—Night on the town: complete dinner and show "Little Mary Sunshine," \$5.75 per person. Res. 388-4741. Barbara Crawford at the piano and organ, Friday and Saturday night; Mimi and Alan Robertson entertaining Saturday night.

BRITISH SMILE HALL—On stage, Jerry Gosley's famous Smile Show, Langham Court Theatre. Nightly, 8:30; two shows Saturday, 8 p.m. and 9 p.m. Reservations recommended at theatre from 1 p.m. or telephone 384-2142.

SPENCE CASTLE AND ROCK GARDENS—Guided tours 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily. A beautifully furnished example of Old Country estate set in oldest exquisite Alpine gardens. Complete gallery of authentic oil paintings.

100-YEAR-OLD POINT ELLIS HOUSE—A rare opportunity to see duelling pistols, gold harp, delightful Victorian elegance. Just off Bay St., 4 minutes from Empress Hotel. 3616 Pleasant St. Open 9-5 daily. 385-0632.

THE ART MARKET—5276 West Saanich Rd., on the way to Butchart Gardens. See artists and craftsmen at work. Open 12 noon to 10 p.m. every day.

WATER TOURS—Victoria harbour and Esquimalt Naval Base, 8 trips daily, 4:30 a.m. until 8:15 p.m. Gov't Boat Landing. Reservations 383-4513 or 384-7818.

RIDE FOR PLEASURE—Western riding horses, quiet saddle prices for kids, Mom and Dad, too. Tumbleweed Ranch, 1760 McTavish Road, N. Saanich. 656-3712.

SPORTS FISHING! OAK BAY MARINA—Canada's only group sports fishing—M.V. Lakewood, \$1.20 per hour. 8 Charter boats and expert guides. 8 New rental boats.

THE CRYSTAL LYS—Victoria's only Sunday night variety show, 8:30 p.m., Crystal Garden. Res. 385-2522.

Culture Fund Must Be for All



William Thomas ON MUSIC

Premier Bennett has suggested he would like to hear from the public on how the culture fund, set up during the last session of the legislature, should be spent.

This year the \$5,000,000 capital fund will yield \$250,000 and the premier says he wants to hear "from you. People talk too much of they when it should be we, we, we."

Well here goes from me, me, me.

First off the fund must be spent under clearly defined rules. So let's set a few.

The money would be used to best advantage in developing and expanding professional theatre, music and art, in the latter case by grants to public art galleries for purchases and commissions.

Money should go to the symphonies here and in Vancouver, to the opera groups and to the theatre companies like Bastion and the Playhouse in Vancouver.

These are quality operations that enhance the province's reputation and are in a position to provide entertainment for the rest of B.C.

Money could be provided to these groups on the condition they undertake B.C. tours to take live music and theatre into the hinterland.

The same rules could apply to the public art galleries. Exhibitions could tour the province the same way actors and musicians do.

Word out of Ottawa is that Secretary of State LaMarsh favors a continuing Festival Canada scheme.

Miss LaMarsh is expected to call a meeting of all provincial centennial representatives in November when plans for future ventures will be discussed.

In addition to talking about the confederation train and the caravans it is expected they will

discuss how and to what extent touring shows will be supported.

Part of the fund could go to assisting in bringing worthwhile events to B.C. in conjunction with Festival Canada, or whatever it is called after 1967.

The most serious danger is that the fund be dissipated on a per capita basis across each and every B.C. community. This

is not a selfish attitude by any means.

If each and every amateur project gets a share of the fund then it will become no more than a political slush fund.

It would be a mistake if the fund were dissipated in the form of scholarships to "deserving young artists" for this again is the function of an

educational system, not this

should be only the usual run-of-the-mill problems in getting started.

The public deserves to see some tangible form of result here and now. Grants from the Canada Council are fine for the educational aspect of this grant-giving business but let's keep B.C. out of it.

Culture is a pretty broad and all-encompassing word. It can and should cover the field of popular entertainment.

This year we have had the chance to see things from the Best of Barkerville to the Stratford Festival. I feel the B.C. fund should have the same terms of reference.

In the final analysis just what happens will depend on who the premier decides should sit on the governing board.

The best interests of B.C. and all its people cannot be served by a board of interested parties.

Representatives of the symphony and the gallery and the theatre should stay away in droves. And the same applies to the universities. These people usually can not see the wood for the trees of their own self-interest, which is totally understandable and quite unacceptable.

It would seem the general administration of this fund will be in the hands of deputy provincial secretary L.A. Waller. It could not be in a better place.

He is capable and completely conversant with almost every hamlet in B.C. He also knows just how various types of entertainment are received.

Mr. Waller would make the ideal chairman for any board or committee set up to run this fund.

With clearly defined ground rules for the application of the money and the chairmanship of Lawrie Waller, then there

Telegraph Rates Up Over 49th Parallel

MONTREAL (CP)—Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Telecommunications has announced an increase in rates for telegraph messages between Canada and the U.S. effective Aug. 1. The changes will increase rates for telegrams moving between the two countries by about 13 per cent.

What's Next?

Today — Midnight Ramblers, Alma Square, Olympia and other musicians, Beacon Hill Park, 2:30 p.m.

Today — Sons of Norway, Centennial Square, 2:30.

Today — Grace Timp's puppets, Butchart Gardens, 8:30 and 4:30.

Today — Salvation Army singalong, Centennial Square, 8:30.

Monday through Wednesday — Summer Cinema, Beacon Hill Park, 9 p.m.

Monday, Wednesday and Friday — Just for Fun revue, Butchart Gardens, 8:30 p.m.

Monday through Saturday — Three Bears, Bastion Theatre, McPherson Playhouse, 2 p.m.

Monday through Saturday — Little Mary Sunshine, Bastion, McPherson, 8:30.

Monday through Saturday — Smile Show, Langham Court Theatre, 8:30 (Saturday only at 6 and 9).

Tuesday — Pops concert, Butchart Gardens, 8:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday — Zingari puppets, Butchart Gardens, 7 and 7:45 p.m. (Saturday only at 7:30 and 9).

Wednesday — Helen Hunt and Indian dancers, Centennial Square, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday — James Fraser and concert orchestra, Beacon Hill Park, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday — Scottish and variety night, Butchart Gardens, 8:30.

Thursday — Shelia Maller, Centennial Square, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday — Mart Kenney orchestra, Curling Rink, 8 p.m.

BACKSTAGE with Patrick O'Neill

Bastion Theatre seems to come up with a bright new face just in time to add sparkle to a new season.

The season before last it was Art Penon, designer, actor, dancer, who added his colorful flair to much of the season's produce.

Last season singer-actor-comedian Bill Hoie signed on as production manager, played lead in musicals and stand-out comic roles in other shows.

This year, the find is Ross Petty, a 26-year-old at least as versatile as Hoie or Penon. He first auditioned for Peter

Manning in Winnipeg when he was just 16.

Now 26, he has the voice, the flair and the comic style to make just about anything Bastion can throw him.

Right now, he is playing a delicious Papa Bear, frolicking for kiddies in the afternoon, while at night he is the lead in Little Mary Sunshine.

"I like both roles," Ross said. "But I'll be damned if I do both at the same time again."

He laughed loudly.

A Solid Vocal Test

His voice will get a solid test in the coming year, when he's set for the lead in *Bells Are Ringing*, could get a shot at the lead in *Barefoot in the Park* and is bound to get something solid in *Camelot*.

Big, toothy grins have catapulted many drugstore cowboys to Hollywood stardom, before somebody introduced acting to the west coast.

But Ross's handsome smile is just too big to be believed, and that's his strength.

He turns the charm on to the breaking point, and breaks through into the laughter zone.

He delivers puns and other high corn with the audacity of Groucho Marx.

His partner is Vanessa Lax, about whom enough has been said by the reviewers, except for this observation:

She gives the strongest performance since playing somebody's uncle in a hilarious performance of *The Recording Time* for the Theatre Guild.

The great Count Basie is playing the Cave in Vancouver: Aug. 2 to Aug. 8. His band includes Marshall Royal, Freddie Green and there's a name to conjure with: Eddie Lockjaw Davis.

Guitarist Bruce Johnston, late of the Darren St. Claire Quintet, has returned from Hawaii, ready to start playing here.

Vancouver Playhouse has chosen its repertoire for next season:

Androcles and the Lion by Shaw; The Ecstasy of Rita Joe, a Canadian play by George Ryga (a personage during the course of our life and times); The Beaux Stratagems, a Restoration comedy; the recent Broadway comedy Philadelphia Here I Come; A Streetcar Named Desire by Tennessee Williams; The Firebugs: Walking Happy.

Victoria's psychedelic City of Drawers did its bit to keep some activity going for the youth of Victoria, by playing at

PHYSICAL GARDEN

PUBLIC SWIMMING
SUNDAY 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.
MONDAY 10:00 - 11:00 a.m.
1:00 - 5:00 p.m.
5:00 - 6:00 (Adults Only)
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Now on Stage
8:30 Nightly
McPherson Playhouse
BASTION'S
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"LITTLE MARY SUNSHINE"
Box Office 388-6112
and for the children...
"The 3 Bears"
Musical
2 p.m. Daily
McPherson Playhouse
Free Ice Cream for Birthday Parties Attending
For Information Phone 388-4112

BEBE EVERFIELD
Bebe, choreographer, designer and director of the Butchart Gardens sparkling stage revue "JUST FOR FUN," playing every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, hails from New Zealand and spent her theatrical career in London, England. Studying classical ballet under many of the great teachers of Europe, at the age of fourteen she became ballerina of the Kyoshi Russian Ballet until a foot injury resulted in a change to less demanding musical comedy. Two years in leading roles in productions at His Majesty's Theatre, London, were followed by film work. Bebe has had wide teaching and lecturing experience across Canada. Since opening the Victoria School of Theatrical Arts and being acclaimed Victoria's own choreographer, she decided to make this city her home. Bebe has been associated with the Butchart Gardens Sunset Shows for the past five years.

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Westbank Deadline Set for September

OTTAWA (CP) — The major shareholders in the Bank of Western Canada have given what amounts to a Sept. 13 deadline for anyone interested in rescuing the failing institution.

A notice Friday in the Canada Gazette, official government publication carrying proclamations and legal notices, announced a shareholders meeting to be held Sept. 14 in Winnipeg to take first steps toward winding up the bank's existence.

But British International Finance Canada Ltd., which holds 50.2 per cent of the bank's shares through its subsidiary York Lambton Corp., has agreed to sell its shares if a buyer can be found even up to the last minute.

BUYER HOPES

Jacques Melancon, Montreal financial consultant, told BIF's annual meeting in Toronto Friday that he hopes a buyer will be found for BIF's shares.

Malkin Dispute Nearly Ended

VANCOUVER (CP) — The W. H. Malkin Co. and its employees have reached an agreement in a short-lived dispute and close to 200 workers in B.C. will vote on the settlement Monday.

John Squire, international representative of the Retail, Wholesale and Department Store Union, Local 580 said Saturday the union will recommend acceptance. He declined to reveal terms of the settlement until after the vote.

The vote will be taken by locals in Vancouver, Victoria, Nanaimo and Prince George. The union voted last week in favor of strike action and strike notice was served on the company.

Malkin's last published offer included a 60-cent hourly increase over two years for warehouse employees and 36 cents hourly for office employees. Present rates include \$2.64 hourly for warehousemen, \$2.43 for office staff and \$2.94 for semi-trailer drivers.

Reconsideration Asked for Mill

Week on the Prairies

Dr. Hugh Horner (PC-Lac St. Anne) will ask the government of Alberta to reconsider its decision to postpone for one year the construction of a \$50,000,000 pulp mill at Whitecourt, 100 miles northwest of Edmonton.

MacMillan Bloedel Ltd. announced earlier it had postponed the start of construction under a revised agreement with the provincial government. Construction was to have begun "on or before Jan. 1, 1968." It will now begin "on or before Jan. 1, 1969."

Alberta

Dr. Horner, in whose constituency Whitecourt is located, said both the company and the government are obligated to build the pulp mill as quickly as possible.

Youth Minister Robert C. Clark announced in Edmonton the formation of a research and development branch of the Alberta department of youth, with Dr. Charles W. Hobart as research consultant.

Rudy Dreger's eight-year chase after parts for a 1915 McLaughlin car is finally over. Eight years ago the Regina enthusiast decided to restore the antique car after discovering the remains of the chassis in a farmer's swamp. Last week, the last part — a small hood clamp — was located.

Saskatchewan

But for eight years, the search took Mr. Dreger throughout the province where he found an oil pan being used as a big trough, a water pump used on irrigation pipes, door hinges used on gateposts, a generator used on an ancient radio and headlights on a 30-year-old combine.

Regina officials Friday imposed a temporary ban on the

The notice in the Canada Gazette, which must appear weekly for six weeks, was signed by York Lambton Corp. Ltd., F. H. Deacon and Co. Ltd., New Alliance Investors Ltd., Jayadee Investments Ltd. and 30 other signatories.

On Sept. 14 the shareholders of the Bank of Western Canada will be asked to adopt a resolution removing all the directors then in office, elect new directors and then, "if thought advisable to pass a resolution requiring Bank of Western Canada to be wound up."

MAY ELECT DIRECTORS

If the York Lambton shares are sold, the new owners may elect a majority of directors who will defeat such a resolution and keep the bank alive.

In Edmonton, a group headed by J. Les Bodie, senior vice-president of the bank, was reported raising funds to buy out York Lambton's interest and save the bank. The shares are worth about \$5,500,000.

DOORS SHUT

Parliament approved the incorporation of the bank a year ago, but it has never opened its doors for business. Financing troubles and disputes between James E. Coyne, the first president, and Sinclair Stevens, of Toronto, president of BIF and his successor Marc Bienvenu of Montreal, have plagued the bank.

The \$13,000,000 capitalization for the bank was raised through certificate sales at \$15 a share. The shares have traded for as low as \$11 and \$12 but the subscription funds have been invested in bonds and the break-up value of the shares may exceed \$15.

FROM TORONTO

Mr. Coyne, a former governor of the Bank of Canada, insisted on principal shareholders being westerners to keep the bank oriented towards Western Canada. Principal financing, however, came from Toronto and Montreal and Mr. Stevens and Mr. Bienvenu demanded a more aggressive policy than the conservative line advocated by Mr. Coyne.

BIF Annual Meeting

Financial Firm Has New Look

TORONTO (CP) — Only three directors and one officer of British International Finance Canada Ltd. were with the company when Sinclair Stevens headed it in 1966.

The company's annual meeting Friday elected four new members to the board and did not re-elect three.

Only William Bell, J. R. Findley and Philip B. MacDonald, all of Toronto, were directors of the company 18 months ago. Mr. MacDonald, executive vice-president, is the only officer of the Sinclair era remaining.

FIRST TIME

Elected to the board for the first time Friday were Aubert Brulant, president of Corporation d'Expansion Financière de Montreal, Emilien Morissette, also a Corpex officer, J. B. Hamilton and R. O. Woods, both Toronto lawyers.

LAST MARCH

Marc Masson Bienvenu of Montreal, who bought control of BIF and its subsidiaries from Mr. Stevens last March, was re-elected chairman and president. Other directors re-elected were Secretary-Treasurer M. R. Jennings, Fernand Lalonde, Thomas H. Baker, Mr. Bell, Mr. Findley and Mr. MacDonald. Not re-elected were P. A. Charlesbois, W. J. Mollard and A. M. Wofford, all of whom were with Mr. Stevens in the company.

VICE-PRESIDENT

Jacques Melancon of Montreal, vice-president of La Corporation Fincière de Montreal, of which Mr. Bienvenu is president, was named financial consultant to BIF.

R. M. Thomas of Toronto, president of York Lambton Corp., owned 45 per cent by BIF, was named assistant secretary and J. W. Dunlop was retained as controller.

SIX OF ELEVEN

Six of the 11 directors, Mr. Bienvenu, Mr. Brulant, Mr. Jennings, Mr. Lalonde, Mr. Morissette and Mr. MacDonald are also directors of Wellington Bank International, controlled by BIF.

Mr. Bienvenu held all BIF's 80,650 common shares, which, at 10 votes each, were worth about eight times as much as the other shares represented at the meeting.

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Russian Stockpiles Still High

Wheat Deal Merely Rumor?

MOSCOW (AP) — Reports that a sizable new Canadian wheat deal with the Soviet Union is imminent were largely discounted Saturday by non-Communist experts here.

These experts viewed as on the Canadian reports that a wheat deal would be signed during the current visit to Canada by Nikolai S. Patolich, Soviet foreign trade minister.

RECORD CROP

The sources said the Russians have a wheat surplus from their record grain crop of last year. They are believed to have stockpiled wheat both from the good grain crop here and from earlier foreign purchases.

The Soviet Union agreed last year to buy 9,000,000 tons of Canadian wheat in 3,000,000-ton portions last year, this year and next year. They are thus already committed to future purchases.

The sources also said the Russians are likely to harvest a better-than-average wheat crop at home again this year.

The winter wheat crop, about 40 per cent of the year's harvest, was described as better

than average, according to tentative estimates.

A Canadian Embassy spokesman said the embassy "has no grounds here to confirm or deny" the reports from Canada of an imminent wheat deal. He said the matter would be handled in Ottawa.

Ottawa Reports Wholesale Rise

OTTAWA (CP) — Wholesale trade during May was estimated at \$1,296,884,000, an increase of 10.8 per cent over sales in May last year, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported Thursday. Sales during the first five months of 1967 were up 3.2 per cent at \$5,584,719,000.



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Up and Over, Pigtail and All

They started the women's pentathlon event Saturday in the Pan-Am Games and Canada's Jenny Meldrum was right up among the leaders after the first three events. She had the fastest time in the

80-metre hurdles in 11.3 seconds; placed second in the shot put with a distance of 42.23 feet; and was third in the high jump. Mrs. Meldrum, pigtail and all, gained her placing by clearing five-foot-two.

Pitchers Tough in Clutch

Chisox, Cards Pad Leads

Other American League clubs grant that Chicago White Sox have good pitching but they sometimes find it hard to understand just how the club has managed to lead the league for so long.

Detroit Tigers left the field at Comiskey Park yesterday shaking their heads after a 4-3 defeat. They had made 14 hits and the Sox had made only four but Chicago pitching was there when it really mattered and they picked up a typical victory.

BOYER HOMERS

Chicago took a 4-0 lead, scoring the first two runs on a two-run homer by veteran Ken Boyer, who has batted .471 for them since being obtained from New York Mets only a few days ago.

The Sox lived a charmed existence from there. Hoyt Wilhelm came on to help out Wilbur Wood in the sixth inning and managed to hold the Tigers to two runs.

McMAHON TO RESCUE

But Wilhelm was in continuous trouble. He left runners on third and first base in the seventh and eighth innings and finally left in the ninth with one run in, no one out and runners again on third and first bases.

Don McMahon took over there, getting the next three batters to save the decision and the Sox lived a charmed existence from there. Hoyt Wilhelm came on to help out Wilbur Wood in the sixth inning and managed to hold the Tigers to two runs.

Gimeno, Laver In Finals

BINGHAMPTON, N.Y. (AP)—Rod Laver of Australia and Andres Gimeno of Spain, who scored easy victories Saturday, meet today to decide the winner of the annual Masters Professional Tennis Tournament at the Binghamton Racquet and Riding Club.

Neither the first-seeded Laver nor the second-seeded Gimeno has lost a set in three matches during the four-day competition.

In matches Saturday, Laver downed fellow Aussie Fred Stolle, 6-3, 6-4 after an 8-6, 6-3 victory over Michael Davies of Wales.

Gimeno was an easy 6-3, 6-3 winner over Barry MacKay of Bakersfield, Calif., and beat Pierre Barthes of France, 6-1, 6-3.

Optimists in Final Babe Ruth Tournney

COQUITLAM — Saanich Evening Optimist All-Stars trounced Gillingwood of South Burnaby, 8-2, Saturday to advance to today's final of the B.C. Babe Ruth baseball tournament for 13-year-olds.

Saanich scored three runs in the third inning on a one-run single by Nick Hoy and Ronnie Holmes' two-run blow.

The winners added three more in the fifth inning to make the score, 7-0, as Hoy led off with a home run and Holmes and Ricky Jones scored on errors.

Glen Campbell gave up five hits and allowed only single runs in the sixth and seventh innings to pick up the victory.

Saanich meets the winner of Coquitlam and Vancouver Little Mountain in the final.

lack a half game on the Chicago lead.

Boston's second-place Red Sox knocked off Minnesota Twins in the first of two games, 6-3, but ran a foul of the kind of hitting

they have been dishing out in the second affair. Bob Allison hit two home runs and Harmon Killebrew, Tony Oliva and Ted Uhlaender each hit one out of the park as the Twins romped, 10-5.

SPRAYS FOR BUGS

In other American League games the featured event came in New York, where action had to be stopped in the first inning while the Kansas City trainer came out on the field to spray the Athletics with an insect repellent because hordes of tiny bugs were making matters uncomfortable.

The As went on from there to score a 6-2 win.

Washington Senators com-

pleted their amazing ways by edging California Angels, 3-2, to get within two games of balancing their record for the season.

St. Louis Cardinals moved three games ahead in the National League when good pitching by Steve Carlton and home runs by Orlando Cepeda, Tim McCarver and Roger Maris brought them a 6-0 win over Atlanta Braves.

Chicago's second-place Cubs were beaten in 10 innings, 4-2, by Cincinnati Reds when Wade Pisoni hit a one-out home run with Pete Rose, who had walked, on the bases.

Victory put the Reds back in third place, seven games behind the Cardinals but eight out on the

didn't lose their positions, separating half a lap later.

Surgeonor snuck inside on the first turn of lap 47 and held on for the win.

CAUDWELL WINS

Jim Caudwell won his second trophy dash in a row and Larry Walker had fast time with a relatively slow 21.50 seconds.

Bill Friend, second in the "B" trophy dash to Roy Smith, came back to win the 25-lap "B" main race.

TRADE LEAD

Albert Smith led the July Cup event for the first 19 laps when Tony Mortel, winner of the fast heat, went out to lead until the 34th lap.

Biszenden came through the centre of the pack from fifth place to take over the lead with Surgeonor right behind. The pair locked bumpers on the 45th lap and went into the infield, but

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Eventually, one club is to miss the playoffs.

Comeau turned aside 36 shots as Adanacs scored four second-period goals to take a 5-3 lead over the last 20 minutes after dropping behind, 1-2, in the first period.

Marty Jordan led the winners with two goals, a total matched only by Bill Cooksley of Salmonbellies.

Next game: Tuesday-New Westminster at Vancouver.



Belly-Whopper of Life Arrives

Story and Picture
From JIM RYAN

Surfboards may mean the difference between life and death on area lakes this summer.

Manned by lifeguards at three lakes — Elk, Beaver and Thetis — the \$180 fibre-glass boards can skim the water to a swimmer in distress within seconds.

The new lifesaving technique paid off last week.

Lifeguard Ed Kubek of Sidney plucked 12-year-old Ann Marie Hjelm of Fort St. John from Elk Lake Thursday after the youngster tumbled from

swimming out to a raft 90 feet from shore and sank. Kubek covered the distance in 10 seconds — three times faster than in a rowboat.

The 10-foot, yellow and red surfboards are standard models and weigh about 40 pounds. There are two in use at Elk Lake, one at Beaver and a fourth at Thetis.

Elk Lake lifeguard Pat Venton, 29 — who teaches lifesaving techniques at the YMCA swimming pool — claims surfboards are "three times as fast as a boat" in getting to a swimmer in distress, and allow better visibility beneath the water.

Surfboards are being used at area lakes for the first time this year.

A standard make used extensively in the southern United States and Hawaii, the surfboards are coated with paraffin wax on the top surface to make them skid-proof, and have a 'keel' or fin beneath to keep the board in trim.

Says Venton: "I don't think there is anything better for saving swimmers in distress. The boards will easily support a 200-pound man."

It took 26-year-old Ed Kubek — a physical ed and

biology teacher at Claremont Senior Secondary School — only seven strokes of the water to reach swimmer Ann Marie Hjelm.

The technique used in reaching an exhausted swimmer, says Kubek, is to run at the water and land belly-down on the surfboard, which by this time is already moving. Then a butterfly stroke. And, once reached, the swimmer is pulled onto the front of the board.

Kubek has rescued four drowning swimmers in his six years as a lifeguard — several of which he spent on duty at Deer Lake and Central Park pool in Burnaby.

There are nine lifeguards employed from June through Labor Day at Elk and Beaver lakes.

Six are men — chief

lifeguard Kubek, Venton, Morris Preece, Gary Blondin, Neil Bonnell and Rick Warren ... and Judy Soper, who took part in the rescue of a young girl swimmer at Hamlet Park earlier this year; Pam Harris and Anne Wintermute.

They are on duty from noon

to 8 p.m., and several tend to stay later on guard for the swimmer who finds himself in trouble.

With the introduction of the speedy surfboards, this protection has been effectively increased.

Saanich Land Tract Plan Gets Favorable Reaction

Coun. Edith Gunning said Saturday there was only one negative response among the many which followed her suggestion that Saanich start dealing in land tracts.

She was describing reaction to a proposal that the municipality buy tracts of land for re-sale to developers with covenants that would control the design and size of apartments and their relationship to surrounding buildings.

"I have heard considerable comment but only one person has been against it," said Coun. Gunning.

The idea is now being studied by Saanich's planning department. She said planners may be able to get to it after they have cleared away a backlog of work, including the arbitration hearings involving the McRae Estate.

Coun. Gunning has suggested the planners work with architects and builders in designing a layout for imaginative and efficient apartment or town-house complexes.

She has prepared a list of possible sites which the municipality could acquire for such developments.

Once a site was sold to a developer, Saanich would have no say except to see that the rent controls were adhered to. It wouldn't involve itself in rents, for example.

Coun. Gunning also said there are indications Central Mortgage and Housing Corp. will give a good reception to a proposal to purchase homes for rental to low-income families.

She told council two weeks ago that she hoped the plan would be in operation this fall.

Saanich and provincial housing authorities have selected 15 homes for leasing to welfare clients.

The average asking price for the homes is \$13,000 and each would need roughly \$300 spent on repairs.

Witty's Verdict 'Fair Balance'

The lawyer for the Regional Board said Saturday there can be "no reasonable quarrel" about the \$104,800 price set for Witty's Lagoon property.

Louis Lindholm was commenting on a statement by Patrick Sinnott, counsel for Leslie and Stanley Witty, that the Supreme Court will be asked to set a higher price for the land.

PARK USES

The 45-acre Methoson property was expropriated by the Regional Board last December for park uses. An arbitration board was set up after the parties could not agree on a price.

"In my judgment, the arbitration board struck a very fair balance between the rights of the owners and the interests of the public," said Mr. Lindholm. He pointed out the court has no right to substitute its opinion of value in place of that of the arbitration board.

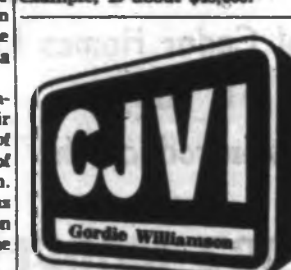
"The award may only be set aside if error appears on the

face of the record or the board has exceeded its jurisdiction or has fallen into error in the application of the relevant principles of law."

OUT OF FUND

Meanwhile, whatever the final price, the money will come out of a park acquisition fund set up by the Regional Board.

Each member area has been contributing half a mill a year. The value of a mill in taxation revenue varies with each area but half a mill in Saanich, for example, is about \$48,000.



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Accidental Death Toll Lower by One in B.C.

VANCOUVER (CP) — Accidental deaths in B.C. decreased by one over 1966, but the number of deaths in four categories increased, the B.C. Safety Council said Saturday.

Accidental deaths of all types to the end of June totalled 676, compared to 677 for the same period last year.

A total of 54 deaths were attributed to fire and explosion to the end of June, compared to 43 for the same period in 1966. Poisoning took 74 lives to the

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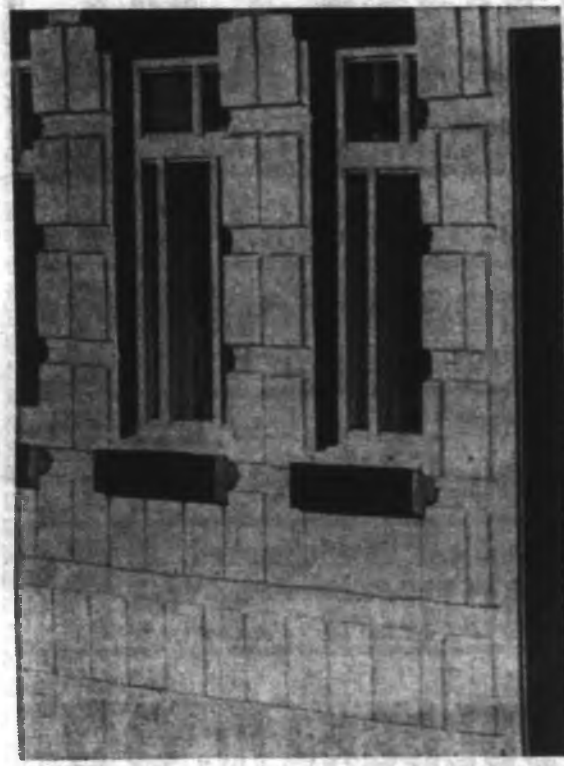
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Esquimalt Man's Project

He Built a Home To House a Door

By JIM BRANAN



Stamp Packet

By FAITH ANGUS

An article in the Crown Agents Stamp Bulletin of June 1967, tells the amazing story of how Botswana, formerly the protectorate of Bechuanaland, has overcome economic and geographic difficulties since becoming an independent state.

The new rulers, faced with the lack of revenue-producing industry, turned to their vast areas of desert and swamp land as a means of development and soon had a gigantic tourism project underway.

Today, Botswana with its ultra-modern hotels, hundreds of miles of new roads, a hospital and airfield, is becoming one of the world's popular tourist resorts.

On Oct. 2, three stamps will be released to call attention to the Chobe Game Reserve. Values and designs are 3c, Chobe bush buck; 7c, sable antelope; 35c, fishing on Chobe River. They were designed by G. L. Vassarhelyi and photographed by Harrison & Sons in sheets of 100.

A set of circular die-embossed metal-foil stamps was released on July 4, to mark the coronation of King Tufoa-Ahan Topou of Tonga. Regular values are 1 cent, 300,000; 2c, 350,000; 4c, 75,000; 15c, 25c, 35,000 each. Airmail — 7c, 3c, 50,000 each; 11c, 40,000; 21c, 21c, 25c, 25c, 30,000 each; 2 tala, 25,000. The first palladium coins were also issued.

The final three decimal overprinted stamps of Cook Islands were placed on sale last month. These are the #1 Scott No. 126A now surcharged "32" in red; #3 No. 126B now "36" in red; #5 No. 126C now "310" in red. These higher denominations were overprinted in Rarotonga and the overprinting plates were destroyed on completion of the overprinting.

Burundi has overprinted the unadorned balance of the Winston Churchill stamps and souvenir sheets for the 50th anniversary of Lions International.

During September, Costa Rica will issue five stamps to commemorate the Golden Jubilee of Scouting. These are being printed in Sweden. Information regarding the first day covers is not available at this time.



The Vanier stamp, bearing photograph and signature of late governor-general, will be issued Sept. 15, anniversary of date he took vice-regal oath of office. Photograph appears in black, remainder in warm-brown. Total of 21,000,000 of large 5-cent stamps will be issued.

Tinkering with an old coffee shop door led to the building of one of Esquimalt's most interesting homes.

Walter Hanaka built his home, containing approximately 1,200 square feet, at 810 Esquimalt Road in his spare time all because a neighbor a few years ago gave him an old door.

"I was living on Ormand when I got the door. I removed the plate glass, and added some plywood and a few artistic touches and soon had a fine looking door."

HAVE DOOR

"I told the wife that we have the door so let's wrap a house around it, and that's exactly what we did," he said.

The Hanakas bought their lot from the municipality and began to build their house on a solid concrete slab.

"It became a hobby, and I spent my spare time making my own concrete building blocks which I used for the side and rear walls. The front is made of bought brick, with, of course, the door holding its place of honor."

FAMILY PROJECT

The house became a family project and Mr. Hanaka, his wife Mary and two sons Frank and Walter helped in building the house, brick by brick, from the concrete slab up.

"I had never laid bricks before, but I soon got the hang of it. I made concrete blocks when I lived in the east, but there I had a machine, and I couldn't buy one here."

"I built my own mould out of wood and in an evening's work I would make about 25 or 30 blocks about 8 inches by 17 inches. The house took more than 400 of them."

GOOD BRICKLAYER

"By the time the house was completed I claimed myself as a good bricklayer."

On finishing the house the family decided it could use a swimming pool in the yard, so it was back to the brickmaking mould for Mr. Hanaka.

"However, after hearing of problems that some people have building pools, we thought it over and decided a garage was what we needed most," he said.

The entire project took two and a half years, and he said it was really a lot of fun.

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To build the concrete blocks he suggested a wooden form lined with metal be used. The metal keeps the wood from warping. He warns not to get the concrete mix too wet or the block will chip at the corners when removed from the mould.

"Working two to three hours during an evening a man can make about 25 blocks without killing himself," he said.

Russia, China Sign Pact

MOSCOW (Reuters)—The Soviet government and China have signed an overdue trade agreement for 1967, after secret bargaining which lasted 15 weeks. Results of the drawn-out negotiations were not disclosed. A brief official announcement said only that a protocol for trade exchanges this year was signed by delegations from the two countries. Talks started April 12.

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DETROIT (Special)—The sun is beating down, children are playing ball nearby, and there's a bayonet just touching your stomach. "Get back. Get back," screams the soldier. "You heard me. Get back. Get back or you'll be sorry."

He's outside a beer store on Mack Street in the city's east end. He's one of 20 soldiers and shotgun-toting police checking out a report of a sniper. And he's tired, tense and very touchy.

Two cops go in under the store's broken door, and almost immediately there's the heavy "wham's" as their automatic shotguns blast . . . once, twice, three, four, five times. You press into the safety of the wall with the soldier, and he concedes an apology for threatening you with the bayonet.

"You say you're from Canada," he says. "I've been there . . . wish I was there now."

Two more shot blasts. Very close. You

cower tighter into the wall, envying the soldier his helmet and automatic rifle.

"Someone's coming," says the soldier, sweeping his rifle in the direction of the noise.

You can hear people walking across the shattered plate glass on the store's floor towards the door, and all guns are trained on it.

Out they come—it's anti-climatic. Three teen-age boys with terrified eyes. The cops handle them roughly through an elaborate search, and then, handcuffed, toss them into the back of a cruiser.

But at least they haven't been shot.

"We just fired a couple of blasts so they'd know we meant business," one cop said. "It's the only thing some of these kids understand."

But by now the three young Negro prisoners are getting their confidence back, and they stare at the police with unabashed hate.

Motorcyclists Get Word

TORONTO (CP)—The place for a motorcycle is in the hills or on backwoods trails, not on public highways.

That is the opinion of Antoni Burg, 31, one of three instructors at a North York training school for motorcyclists.

And his opinion is echoed by student Steve Farrant, 17, who may become one of Ontario's few properly trained

motorcyclists from the pioneer, police-sponsored school.

He said: "I'm not going to ride on the road. No matter how skillful you are it's still a lot safer in a car."

The two-week training course, comprising four two-hour evening classes, aims at increasing the odds in favor of motorcyclists, who have been victims of

traffic accidents with increasing regularity.

Trainer Burg says that girls seem to make better riders than boys.

The boys lean too heavily on reflexes and get a little cocky at times, while the girls use their heads."

Corporal Slays 11 Passengers

JAKARTA, Indonesia (Reuters)—Police have arrested an army corporal who fled after killing 11 passengers on a crowded express train with a submachine gun.

He opened fire after a quarrel with a civilian as the train sped toward Jakarta from Semarang, in central Java.

Bridge Results

Winners of a monthly master point game held at the Junior Bridge Club: 1. Judy Langstaff and Pat Baird, 2. Roy Vallancourt and Rose Richard, 3. Ann Roylance and Helen Tremblay, 4. St. Florence Edwards and Prada Wade, 5. John Riches and Maurine Babey.



Acid Prices Increased

MONTREAL (CP)—Canadian Industries Ltd. said Thursday it is increasing the price of sulphuric acid, effective Aug. 1 for spot business and Oct. 1 for contract customers. The price of the most commonly used grade will go to \$29.35 a net ton, from \$27.75.

Domtar Closing Ontario Plants

ST. CATHARINES, Ont. (CP)—Domtar Ltd. has announced the closing early next year of its pulp and board mills here because of declining markets and rising labor and material costs.

The company said some 160 employees will be affected by the shutdown of the sulphite pulp mill and the Lincoln board mill Jan. 31.

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Best Fishing Ahead

Prizes in The Daily Colonist King Fisherman Contest for 1967 (see story at right) include a major hidden-weight award of a Princess King Kamper tent trailer displayed in this case by Frank Leno family.

Another, at top right, is a zoom lens moving picture camera given by Colwood Pharmacy to the subscriber with the heaviest spring (chinook salmon) and like one held by pharmacy clerk Adrienne Ogrodnick.

Below the tent, Doug Lewis of Victoria Photo Supply

shows an Agfamatic 1A 35-millimetre camera kit like one going for the heaviest eyes caught by a subscriber, and Wilbur De Silva of the T. Eaton Co.'s sporting goods department displays a three-horsepower Viking outboard motor like one set for the biggest coho.

Russell Cameron of Jeune Bros. dons a down-filled sportsman's jacket, pants and parka similar to the firm's prize for the heaviest river trout. And Alex Dehart of Jeune Bros. has a Black's down-filled sleeping bag like one going to the subscriber with the heaviest fish caught in a lake.



The 1967 Canadian centennial edition of The Daily Colonist King Fisherman Contest reaches the halfway mark today with the best salmon fishing of the year still ahead.

Mostly it is a fun contest with scores of hidden weight prizes for anglers who only have to catch qualifying fish — a salmon five pounds or heavier or a trout or small mouth bass one pound or heavier — and weigh them into the contest at any of more than 200 weighing stations all over Vancouver Island and the Gulf Islands. The more fish entered the better the chance to win a prize.

There are contest-long hidden weight prizes including a Canadian Pacific Airlines expense-paid trip for two to Mexico; a weekend wilderness camping-fishing trip with Vancouver Island Helicopters and a King Kamper tent trailer.

Each month there is a score of hidden weight prizes for fish caught during that month... and then the tickets are placed in a big barrel for the second and grand hidden weight draw.

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Jeune Bros. of Victoria donates a Black's down-filled polar sleeping bag for the biggest trout caught in a lake, and a down-filled sportsman's jacket, pants and parka for the biggest trout caught in a river.

Imperial Oil Co. donates a \$100 value Imperial-Esso prize for the heaviest bass.

Victoria Photo Supply donates an Agfamatic 1A 35-millimetre camera kit for the heaviest tye.

Colwood Pharmacy donates a zoom lens moving picture camera for the heaviest spring (chinook) salmon.

T. Eaton Co. donates a three-horsepower Viking outboard motor for the heaviest coho.

In addition each month the Contest awards Prince Bute for the 25 heaviest salmon in each of the coho, spring and tye categories and for the 15 heaviest lake trout, river trout and bass, with a gold button for the biggest in each category.

Special King Fisherman trophies go to the angler catching the biggest fish in each category over the six-month period of the contest which closes Oct. 29.

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Swimmers Meet Skiing Challenge

By MARGIE NAYSMITH

I now feel I have met the challenge of all time successfully, I am pleased to say. The challenge was the water ski championships which shared the lake with us for two days.

I'm sure everyone will understand how difficult it is to keep 58 little people listening and working on something like swimming instruction, when there are boats and water skiers, and to top all the ski jump right in front of our enclosure.

However, in spite of all the excitement we seemed to fare not too badly.

Most of the children in the beginners' classes are swimming about a dozen good strokes with feet and arms and breathing out. From now on they need lots of practice between lessons to become more proficient with the breathing.

This week's lesson will be back floating, and the week after that we will work on taking a breath while they are swimming.

We purposely go to back floating before we try them on breathing while swimming to give them more practice with the breathing out.

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Senator Blames Negro Leaders

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore. (AP) — Sen. Mark Hatfield (R-Ore.) said in a speech here that Negro leaders who preach civil disobedience, including Martin Luther King, "sowed the seeds" for the present racial unrest in the U.S.

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Republicans Pick Miami Beach

MIAMI BEACH (UPI) — A Florida's glittering Miami Beach as the location for the party's 1968 national convention.

Canadian Expelled

HANOI (Reuters) — North Vietnam Friday expelled Capt. James MacPhee, a Canadian member of the International Control Commission, from Hanoi because of "activities detrimental to the security" of the north. No details were given and Capt. MacPhee's hometown was not reported.

The recommendation also greatly increased the chances for getting the Democratic convention on "The Beach." Television networks have urged the two parties to choose the same city because of the expense involved in setting up broadcast equipment.

Heroism Blazed in Ship Inferno

By STEVE STIBBENS

SAIGON (AP) — Officers and crewman of the Forrestal told Saturday of heroism "really above and beyond the call" in combating the holocaust that swept the supercarrier Saturday.

Lt. Cmdr. Larry Forderhase, 35, of Virginia Beach, Va., was the catapult officer on the angled deck where the fire broke out. He said he was about to launch a plane when its external tank fell, pouring jet fuel into the steam catapult.

"I got the men to man a fire house and we started breaking loose and unhooking aircraft in the vicinity," he said. "Up forward, there were A6 Intruders and A4 skyhawks loaded with lots of ordnance."

Forderhase, whose account was taken down by the Navy and relayed to Saigon, helped clear the deck of bombs and rockets and tried to move the damaged aircraft forward, out of the danger area.

Wickheim Winner

Sooke's fast-stepping Ardiel Wickheim defeated Ray Heide in the opening round of the 1967 world birling championships at Hayward, Wis. His brother Jubiel is not competing as he's busy at Expo.

"Men began unloading the bombs from other planes and EOD—explosive ordnance disposal—men were taking the fuses out of them and dumping them over the side."

"People were carrying these bombs—carrying 250-pound bombs and throwing them over the side," Forderhase said. "One man in a crash crew fork-lift tried hard to get rid of one burning plane. He had only one hose on him but he kept ramming the plane until it went over the side."

Lt. Cmdr. Herb Hope, 35, of Virginia Beach, Va., was strapped into a bomb-lader: A4 Skyhawk and was about to be launched when the flames engulfed the flight deck.

Hope managed to scramble out of his plane between exploding bombs and rockets. He literally rolled off the flight deck into a safety net.

The shaken pilot made his way to the hangar deck and began helping damage control crews in one of the ship's hangar bays where a dozen planes were being readied for flight.

"The port quarter of the flight deck where I was is no longer there," he said Saturday. "We felt we had a fighting team going before today," he said.

"But this really proved it. I have never seen so many people voluntarily exposing themselves and doing things that were really above and beyond the call."

Rear Adm. Harvey P. Lanham, of Chicago and Beverly Hills, Calif., commander of Carrier Division Two aboard the Forrestal, said he arrived at the flag bridge just minutes after the fire broke out.

Damage \$4,000

A fire in a main floor bedroom did about \$4,000 worth of damage Saturday at the home of Harold Davenport, 1278 Hewlett. Mr. and Mrs. Davenport were weekending at their Shawigan Lake summer home.



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Huge dragon writhes way out of Victoria Chinatown enroute to Centennial Square finale

Centennial Tribute

Chinese Parade Dazzling

By GEORGE INGLIS

Victoria's Chinese community moved into the centennial limelight Saturday evening with a breathtaking display of color that was witnessed by more than 15,000 enthusiastic spectators along the 13-block parade route.

Roofs were lined, enterprising youths scaled fire-escapes, and small fry climbed to patient shoulders to watch the 35 minutes of Oriental splendor, a tribute to Canada's 100th birthday.

Pleasure-seekers of all ages lined the streets to watch a spectacular display that started gently to the strains of Chinese town, and wound up with a crashing display of fireworks.

HAPPY THROG

The happy throng greeted the leadoff Victoria Chinatown Lions drum and bell band and its corps of mini-majorettes with unrestrained enthusiasm when they showed up 20 minutes late, and it was never a dull moment after that.

Piece de resistance was a wild and woolly, 150-foot dragon, the largest golden dragon in North America, manipulated in its frenetic writhings by a crew of 100, working in three perspiring shifts.

TRAIN REPLICA

The dragon, a Vancouver contribution to the Victoria Centennial effort, required days of work by three men and two seamstresses to assemble it for the parade, but it was worth every minute of it to the spectators.

Another highlight was the 1885 CPR train replica, a six-car depiction of the first Dominion run, complete with Occidental train crew and Chinese dignitaries in national costume, a lighthearted tribute to the not-so-lighthearted days when Chinese coolies built the railroad at cost of pain, hunger and loss of life.

'EASY WORK'

"Easy work, seven-day week, 50 cents," read the sign borne by coolie tracklayers preceding the train, in poignant memory. B.C. Centennial chairman L. J. Wallace, complete in Chinese hat and Centennial blazer, shared the lead convertible with Jack Tang, co-chairman and originator of the idea for the parade.

Co-chairman Peter Lou Poy followed in a second convertible, and officials of Chinese societies and organizations rode in other sections of the parade.

FLORAL FLOATS

Two breathtaking floral floats, one prepared by the Chinese community and the other by the 16th Sun Association, were brilliant with color in the bright sunshine, as lovely young Chinese maidens vied with the colors of the floats.

A lantern team of young girls in gleaming green and gold underscored the more than \$12,000 worth of costumes in the 300-participant spectacle.

EYE-CATCHING

Another walking unit that was eye-catching was the Chinese Freemasons group, with Chinese maidens carrying cardboard replicas of a cray fish, crab, clam and other sea animals, followed by a group of very young boys carrying symbolic ancient weapons.

On the lighter side, two women carried themselves "piggyback" down the street with trick costumes which made it appear they were being carried by venerable Chinese gentlemen.

DEAFENING

The paper lions and thunderous firecrackers, complete with crashing drums, were enough to satisfy the most blood-thirsty youngsters, but they were simply deafening as smoke rose to envelop the dignitaries as the unit passed the reviewing stand on Fisgard.

Address Change

Daisy Steggle, who pleaded guilty in central magistrate's court Friday to shoplifting, lives at 57 Cadillac. She originally told police her address was 54 Cadillac.

The parade moved up Fisgard to Douglas, along Douglas to Fort, down to Government and back along Government to Centennial Square.

WINDUP

Here, thousands tried to jam into the square to watch the exhibitions of sword and quarter-staff dancing and drill that wound up the Chinese Centennial tribute.

It was the biggest Chinese parade in the history of Vancouver Island, according to Mr. Tang, and it looked as though every one of the city's 5,000-strong Chinese community had had a hand in it.

City Entry Second At Seafair

Victoria's entry in the Seattle Seafair parade Saturday won second place in competition among entries from cities of 25,000 to 100,000 population.

The two-hour parade was the opening feature of Seattle's 17th summer festival. The Seafair trophy race Sunday, Aug. 5, and the Gold Cup Race Aug. 6 for unlimited hydroplanes will climax the summer carnival.



Christine

Seen In Passing

Christine Piechlik looking her car. (A part-time nursing aide at St. Joseph's Hospital, she lives with her husband, Adam, at 3895 Holland Road on a five-acre farm that has two cows. Her husband works at B.C. Forest Products. There are five children in the family, Bob, 15, Teresa, 14, Frank, 12, Andrew, 8, and Michael, 5. Christine's favorite hobbies are singing and writing.) . . . Doug Hamilton making cookies . . . Dennis Young watching waterskiing . . . Gary Lyon doing his paper route . . . Mark Falek taking swimming lessons . . . Keith Hingworth picking pine cones . . . Alan Landess playing baseball . . . Robin Rogers riding a bike . . . Phil Thomas winning a bet with a berrypicker.

No Beer Tent at Highland Fling

Tartan Torrent Clogs Park

By BILL THOMAS

It was a great day Saturday for the O'Briens, Schlingoffs, Blomquists, Skalazubs and Quickenbushes. They joined the McCaigs, McBrides, Camerons,

Stewarts and MacLeods at the Centennial Highland Games at Macdonald Park.

After a blistering morning, the pipers and dancers were ready to take a break when it came time for provincial cen-

tennial committee chairman Lewis Wallace to open the 30th annual games. See winners, picture, Page 23.

Mr. Wallace took his place on the stand under a sign reading Highland Fling Under 16, but he declined to dance.

LITTLE RIBBING

He also took a little ribbing for his centennial tartan and was asked, "Where's the Wallace?"

The park was clogged with a plethora of pipers, a deluge of drummers and a torrent of tartans, but only a cuddle of cabers. There were just two to test the brawn of the contestants.

Needless to say there was a hug o' war, but no beer tent, an omission that was noted by many a thirsty Scot.

NEW AGE

The electronic age has arrived at Highland games. A number of contestants were snooking about with tape recorders scouping the sounds of their opponents.

The City of Port Moody Band was the most bugged, which told the spectators what the judges later confirmed — this was the best group.

Lockheed Aircraft Corp. of Sunnyvale, near San Francisco, had a band complete with kilts in the RCAF tartan.

BIT OF STIR

Their coach, Ozzie Reid, caused a bit of a stir. He was leaping up and down inside a circle of musicians like a Mohawk medicine man. A few small boys thought he had "blown his mind," but in fact he was just conducting.

The utter confusion baffled all but the initiates. On the one hand there were groups of dancers doing their Seann Truibhas on the stage, others were warming up to the Salter's Hornpipe, some led a trusty piper away under the trees for a rehearsal of the Highland Fling, while whole masses of pipes and drums tramped up and down in the heat.

At one stage of the games, announcer Lofy Coning issued a

frantic plea for the professional Hornpipers, who seemed to have got lost.

Among the unforgettable features of the day were the Scotsburgers. This new creation consisted of a slim sliver of ground beef in a dry bun, and cost 50 cents.

Despite the diet, the brawny Scots went on with the games. They staggered and tottered under the weight of a caber that would give Mr. Clean a double hernia. Some dropped the massive pole, but others succeeded in turning it almost 50 feet.

The day came to a close as all the bands massed for the playing of Scotland the Brave. The Scots are a hardy breed.

Incinerators Major Headache

Thoughtless Fire-Burners Annoy Langford Volunteers

Thoughtless residents starting grass fires have been a curse to Langford's volunteer firemen in recent weeks, Fire Chief Allan Le Quesne stormed Saturday.

"We have attended more than a dozen fires started by unattended backyard incinerators within the past few weeks. "The fires were caused by just pure thoughtlessness on the part of the homeowners," he said.

BARE GROUND

He observed that time and time again residents have been asked to place their incinerators on bare ground, or at least keep the grass cut short in the vicinity of the burner.

The fire department also asked homeowners to use a fire screen cover on the burners to stop fly ash.

"In many cases our requests have been ignored, and in others the owners pile up the trash until it's about two feet above the incinerator rim, place the screen on top of the pile, light the burner and then go in the house for supper," Chief Le Quesne said.

100 THIS YEAR

Langford firemen have answered 100 calls so far this year, the biggest fire being the recent Skirt Mountain blaze. For the same period last year the department had attended 78.

"Ours is a volunteer department, and when a call comes in we have no idea how big the blaze will be and sometimes we turn out up to 25 men to answer the alarm.

"To pull men from their jobs, or rouse them from bed at

night, to extinguish a grass fire caused by a thoughtless incinerator operator does nothing but raise a volunteer's temper to the flash point," explained the chief.

Langford's volunteer ambulance service is also having a busy year serving people in the huge territory ranging from the Esquimalt-Saanich border to the Malahat summit.

Slueth Gossley pondered the new turn of events and concluded, "There must be a plankster at work."

"We will have to check the medals Monday, to see if the out-out portions match the slots."

He urged hunters not to give up the chase, but to keep prowling around and heed the clues. There may be quite a crowd at the centennial office Monday.

Fairly Good'

Woman Hurt In House Fire

A 40-year-old city woman is in fairly good condition in St. Joseph's Hospital suffering burns received when fire gutted a house at 1132 Johnson early Saturday.

Mrs. Velma Hambley was burned on the arms, hands, head and body by the blaze which is thought to have begun in a chesterfield in the living room.

Her husband, Edwin, 41, was released from the same hospital after treatment to burns on his left hand and arm. They were both in the room when the fire began.

BOARDERS ESCAPE

Two boarders, Calmin Beard and Clifford Piper, were uninjured.

Mr. Beard leaped about 15 feet to the ground from a second-storey bathroom window when flames blocked his path to

the fire escape in the next room.

Mr. Piper, asleep at the time, was awakened by the shouts for help from Mr. Hambley.

Mr. Piper opened the door to the living room where it was trapped. Mrs. Hambley was trapped. Flames forced him back.

He then raced out the front door and found Mrs. Hambley wandering, dazed, at the side of the house.

Mr. Piper paid tribute to the work done by the city firemen.

"They had the stretcher out in no time flat, and had Mrs. Hambley off to hospital," he said.

The Hambleys lost all their possessions, which were insured, and Mr. Beard had a new suit destroyed and his tape recorder melted.

Mr. Piper's goods were damaged by smoke.



No Sand in His Face

He's no 98-pound weakling and the bullies don't kick sand in his face but, if he was, swimmer George Winterburn, 31, wouldn't have to worry. His companion is year-old ocelot named Harry and they often have beach at Elk Lake almost to themselves.—(Jim Ryan)

THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST

July 30, 1967

The story of finding a new island in the North Pacific, with the wreck of a vessel lost 50 years ago on its shore, turns out to be a canard. The vessel sent out from San Francisco to take possession of the island is the name of the United States has returned and reported it is "nowhere."

The "island" was not a bad one but it proved expensive to the credulous victims.

We understand the government contemplates removing the mud pants from the Fraser River to prevent their destruction by worms. This operation will cost the Colony five or six hundred dollars when the same object can be accomplished at a cost of about \$6 by removing them to the mud flat near the gas works where there are no worms. "A stitch in time saves nine."



Squadron Leader Gordon L. Haworth, RCAF, just appointed senior medical officer of the Canadian contingent of the UN forces in Cyprus, will be leaving the city shortly for a six-month tour of duty overseas. Pictured here with Mrs. Haworth, son Michael and

daughter Angela at their Craigmillier home, Dr. Haworth has been regional hygiene officer on the staff of Surgeon-Capt. J. Rogers, regional surgeon of the Pacific medical area at HMC Dockyard. — (Jim Ryan Photo)

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Arnold of 30 Howe Street have had as their house guests this week their young great-granddaughter, Kara and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert McInnis of Montreal. Mrs. McInnis, who is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Hugh A. Arnold of Lethbridge, Alta., just recently received her M.L.Sc. Degree and her husband has a Ph.D. in theoretical physics from McGill University. In August they will go to Berkeley, Calif., where Dr. McInnis will take up further studies at the University of Berkeley.

While visiting here they were entertained at a dinner party at the Lincoln Road home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Arnold. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce M. Arnold of Neil Street and their five children were among guests.

Christening at St. Mark's

GANGES—Andrea Gillian and Ian Dermott Montagu Scott were the names bestowed upon the two children of Lieut. R. M. Scott, RCN, and Mrs. Scott of Dartmouth, N.S., by Archdeacon G. H. Holmes, D.D., at a christening ceremony in St. Mark's Church, Ganges, Sunday, July 23.

Fourteen months old Andrea's godparents were her uncle, Lieut. M. L. Crofton; her aunt, Miss Gillian Scott, and Mrs. Donald Evans, all from Victoria. Godparents for three-month-old Ian were his uncle, Lt.-Cmdr. P. D. Crofton, RCN, Ottawa; Lt.-Cmdr. Julian Rangel, RCN, Oakland, Calif., and Mrs. Peter Bousfield, Cobble Hill.

Following the ceremony a family tea was held at Winfrith, the home of the children's maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Crofton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ian J. Scott, Victoria, paternal grandparents, were also present for the special occasion.

Entertain at Shower

Mrs. Orville Speed entertained at a shower in her View Royal Avenue home for Miss Lois Simms. Co-hostess was Mrs. Victor Speed. Cousins were presented to the honored guest, her mother, Mrs. R. Simms, and groom-elect's mother, Mrs. R. Smith. Other guests were Mrs. C. Goodenough, Mrs. C. Boles, Mrs. E. Speed, Mrs. Bill Jackman, Mrs. G. Kinch, Mrs. V. Simms, Mrs. L. Simms, Mrs. T. Simms, Mrs. E. Graham and the Misses Jackie Simms, Louise Kinch, Lucille Speed, Ann Noble, Pat Holmberg.

To Wed August 14

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Newman, 855 Cloverdale Avenue, announces the marriage of their eldest daughter, Carol Annabelle, to Mr. Pierre Charles Moeykens, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Moeykens of Cloverdale, B.C. The wedding is to take place Monday, August 14, at 7 p.m., in First United Church.

From Toronto

Mrs. Thomas Hutchings and her young son Russell, of Toronto, are in the city as guests of Mrs. Hutchings' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pollings, 608 Battery Street, for one month.

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Sports Aid Mother

WINNIPEG (CP) — The girl who is expecting can still — safely — go after a medal in strenuous competitive athletics. This was the view reported Wednesday at final sessions of a Pan-American congress on sports medicine which was held at the Manitoba Medical College.

"Pregnancy and the pursuit of sports are compatible," said Dr. Michael Bruser of Winnipeg. "There is no greater rate of miscarriage and labor seems to be easier and faster."

Dr. Bruser, obstetrics consultant at Miterior General Hospital, said physicians now hold that sport can be continued during pregnancy. He said 10 of 26 Russian female medal winners at the 1956 Olympics in Melbourne were pregnant, and a recent Spanish survey of 207 female athletes showed 70 per cent pursued their sports disciplines up to the sixth month of pregnancy.



Mr. and Mrs. Denis Mason Hurley, 1575 Rockland Avenue, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Freydis Jane, to Mr. Michael Philip Welland, eldest son of Rear-Admiral R. P. Welland and Mrs. Welland,



Ottawa, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Campbell of Victoria. The wedding will take place on September 2 at St. Luke's Parish Church, Victoria.

Treasure Beyond Pearls

To Be Up on Joneses Get a Norland Nanny

By NADREANE WALKER

LONDON (AP) — To be one up on the Joneses — even the royal Joneses — get a Norland nanny.

A genuine Norland nurse, a woman of the highest moral and intellectual standards, is a treasure to be prized above pearls.

Your chances of getting a Norland nurse — "our girls are not called nannies," the principal says frostily — may be slightly improved. The college expects to train more than its current crop of 85 girls a year after a move this summer from Chislehurst, just southeast of London, to Denford Park, a stately home in Berkshire, 50 miles west of London.

Norland Institute was founded by Mrs. Walter Ward in 1902 as a revolutionary new career for young gentlemen. Primarily uniformed in bonnets and long brown capes of sensible serge, her Norland nurses went forth to sit at table with the family or be served privately by a maid, and to assume unquestioned

authority over their infant charges.

Since she sometimes had a little money of her own and frequently came from an even wealthier family than that of her employers, she was in no danger of being looked down on. Equally important, her young charges were in no danger of picking up the wrong accent.

Times have changed a lot, Norland but little. The applicant, picked after a personal interview of candidate and parents by the principal, starts with three months' probation.

Club

SENIOR CITIZENS

The Parkdale Centre, senior citizens will hold a short business meeting August 3 at 46 Sims. Social to follow.

She studies laundry, housewifery, cooking, sewing and knitting and spends time in training with children.

At the end of 21 months of training, the Norland nurse gets only a leaving certificate. Her first post is found for her by the college and she earns the full certificate only two years after leaving, based on a detailed report from her employer.

She is not allowed to speak her charges. But she must be firm, not only with the children but their mother in any dispute over authority.

The main change in the modern Norland nurse's career is that it is likely to be a briefer one. The old-fashioned nanny made a life work of it, often staying on until pensioned.

Nowadays most girls marry after six or seven years and turn their training to bringing up their own families.



Fashions from behind the Iron Curtain were among East German fashions shown at the recent Leipzig fair. This sporty coat features a high stand-up collar, zip front and round pockets. A check beret completes the outfit which also doubles as a smart raincoat. Other fashions featured jaunty styles in hats for the season ahead. — (CP Photo)

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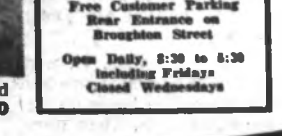
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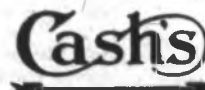
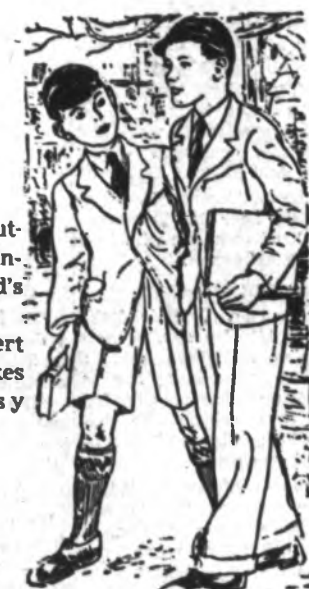
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Summer school skating previously took up July and August days in the Arena. Now it's held at Victoria's Racquet Club. Here a perfect sit-spin is executed by 12-year-old Diane Laidlaw. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Laidlaw of 3922 Cadboro Bay Road.



Skating, summer-style, sometimes produces some odd sights. Little Laura Lester and Maralee Bray find the vision of pretty Beverley Dale of 1907 San Juan Avenue so surprising they came

for a closer look. Miss Dale has been out on the tennis courts in impeccable white shorts—and has now donned a thick sweater and warm gloves for some practice on the ice. She can skate top-

SKATING!

Summer Style

One way of keeping cool on hot summer days is to join summer school skating. Previously held in the Memorial Arena, seven-week sessions sponsored by the Victoria Figure Skating Club are now given at the Racquet Club of Victoria in Gordon Head.

The various classes last from four to six hours, depending on how far one is advanced.

Skating instructors include Guy Nick, Wendy Nordby, Delores Troyer and Sandra Couch.

Keep cool, on ice.



Heather Fraser (foreground) is someone all the young classes took up to with warmest admiration, for she is Junior Figure skating champion of Canada, a title she won last February. Heather gives the class a few of the tips in disciplined manoeuvres that brought her to the top.

Photos by Jim Ryan

Arranged by
Eileen Learoyd



A hug and a giggle between friends in the locker room is part of the fun of summer school skating for little ones. Left to right, Laura Lester, age 6, Maralee Bray, age 8,

and Patti Lester, age 9. Girls wear warm costumes for the ice even though it is hot outside.



And here is the graceful champion in action. A perfect leap is executed with the precision of a ballerina and all the verve of her 15 years by the junior figure skating champion

of Canada, Heather Fraser. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Fraser of 3896 Hobbs Road.

Susan Robinson Is Honor Guest

Miss Susan Robinson was entertained at a shower given by Miss Valerie Barras, assisted by her mother, Mrs. R. J. Barras, in their Ventura Way home. Co-hostesses Miss Judith Carr, Miss Shirley Entwistle and Mrs. Joanne Logan served refreshments to guests including Mrs. H. Carpenter, Mrs. W. Farmer, Miss Barbara Holmes, Miss Janice Peete, Miss Pauline Briggs, Miss Sylvia Jubb, Miss Doreen Jubb, Miss Kathy Morris and Miss Janet Barras.

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with DOROTHY FRASER

School days ahead . . .

When August comes, can school be far behind? . . . Whether you're a fond mama shedding a surreptitious tear at the thought of her darling going off alone for the first time . . . or the more usual kind who can hardly wait to get the kids back on the educational beam . . . now is the hour to start thinking about back-to-school outfitting if you want to keep the rest of your summer un-harassed and un-hurried! . . . Nowhere better can you do this than in Wilson's Junior department . . . where the new stock of school bags is complete and comprehensive . . . and, we might add, competitively priced . . . Quality, in every category, is of the highest . . . and you don't need us to tell you what a true economy quality is . . . especially when it comes to children's clothes which have stood up to hard wear . . . Wilson's have uniforms for all the boys' and girls' private schools in the Victoria area . . . this year for the first time they're carrying Strathcona Lodge School uniforms, too . . . plus everything else needed by the youngsters in the way of wearing apparel . . . from inside out . . . You'd be real smart to take your children in soon while size ranges are complete . . . and shop leisurely and in cool comfort at . . . W & J Wilson Limited, 1231 Government St., 282-7177.

Italian designers all showed pants in their fall collections. Forquet's mini-skirted trouser suits consist of short jacket, a mini-skirt and narrow pants in a three-tiered effect.

Choice Canadians at the Book Nook . . .

When you're strolling through ever-interesting Centennial Square . . . we'd like to suggest you drop in and do a bit of browsing in the Book Nook . . . that wonderfully attractive book store with all the exciting new books hot off the press . . . Just published and now on display is Fred Bodsworth's "The Sparrows Fall" . . . a moving and sensitive story built around the facts of nature . . . told with simplicity and grandeur by a great Canadian naturalist-novelist . . . (You'll remember he wrote "The Last of the Caribou" and "The Strange One") . . . So many other fine new Canadian books at the Book Nook too . . . George Clutesi's "Son of Raven, Son of Deer" is a smash hit . . . and all copies at the Book Nook have been autographed by the author . . . Another book we're enthusiastic about is "Night of Summer" . . . poems from Baffin Island by Alfred Purdy, who has been called the most significant poet in Canada . . . illustrated with oil sketches of the Arctic by famous Group of Seven artist A. J. Jackson . . . And while you're in the Book Nook, don't miss seeing a truly magnificent book which is even now almost a collector's item . . . "Roloff Benny in Canada" . . . A bibliophile's dream! . . . The Book Nook, 10 Centennial Square, 386-0813.

Hair ribbons and the Alice in Wonderland look are in the romantic spirit for long hair.

Sail the Spanish Main . . .

Dream of sailing the historic Spanish Main like the buccaneers of old (albeit with a lot more comfort, not to mention luxury) . . . Would you like to soak up the sun in the colorful Caribbean . . . see swinging London at its swiftest . . . thrill to the romance of romantic Paris? . . . Well, you can . . . and all in the course of one glorious holiday! . . . P & O Lines' Spanish Main/Caribbean and European Holiday aboard the Iberia leaves Vancouver on October 3 . . . just in time to start getting ready for Christmas . . . Paulin's tell us there is still some good space available for this super cruise . . . so if the idea appeals, talk to them soon as possible . . . Fares start at \$1305 (U.S.) . . . include shore excursions at Nassau, Bermuda, Trinidad, Lisbon and Cartagena . . . PLUS an 8-day London-Paris tour by motor coach and train . . . visiting the Shakespeare country . . . taking in all the high spots of London and Paris . . . and allowing you plenty of time for your own private exploring . . . You return via the Panama Canal and Acapulco . . . Remember, the trip's scheduled for this coming October 3rd . . . and Paulin's will be delighted to book you on it! . . . George Paulin Travel Service, 1202 Government St., 283-9126.

Conservative designer Norman Hartnell, dressmaker to the Queen, has finally succumbed to short skirts . . . up to four inches above the knee in his fall collection.

Exciting coats by Gordi . . .

"Just wait till you see the new Gordi coats and coat-dress ensembles we're getting in!" . . . the girls at Madam and Eve have been telling us for the past couple of weeks . . . They were so darned excited about them we've been literally holding our breath . . . Well, the first part of the shipment is now in . . . and we can only echo "Just wait till YOU see them!" . . . They have dash and class . . . they sing of youth and fashion-rightness . . . There's a dark brown basket weave wool coat which fastens on one side . . . collared with dark muskrat striped . . . surprisingly enough . . . with white . . . a toffee colored coat is also side fastened and trimmed with black fur . . . Both of these are size 9 . . . A toffee ensemble has double-breasted coat with fat brass buttons . . . matching dress in a lighter weight wool . . . Sassy cylindrical brass buttons march down one side of a smart red coat . . . Raspberry red and navy are used in combination for a dress and coat, size 5, and a dress and jacket size 13 . . . There's a purple ensemble whose dress has a turquoise yoke with stand-up collar . . . Another in navy with raspberry top . . . sizes run the gamut from 5 to 13 . . . though larger ones will be coming in later . . . and this is important to know: you'll never meet your twin because each coat is definitely one-of-a-kind! . . . Madam and Eve Shop, Tremaine Alley, 283-7177.

The perfect leg is about 12 inches around the knee, says Montreal jeweller Philippe Vautier, creator of the "bigenoux" . . . Jewelled ornaments to adorn the leg.

It's real peachy! . . .

Of all Velvet ice cream's feature flavours . . . which few one month of each year appear in store freezers to titillate the palate and provide creamy, dreamy desserts . . . we think one of the most luscious and downright delicious is Fresh Peach . . . the feature flavour for August! . . . It's made with real peaches folded into smooth, Velvet vanilla ice cream . . . a dessert fit for a king . . . not to mention the queen and all the princelings! . . . This is one of Victoria's top ice creameries . . . we know of ice cream lovers who can hardly wait for it to make its appearance! . . . The fresh peach flavour is superb . . . and of course smooth, creamy Velvet ice cream in any flavour is unexcelled because Velvet has consistently won every award for ice cream in the dairy industry! . . . Get Velvet Fresh Peach this coming week and see for yourself how good an ice cream can be! . . . And if you've children, ask your Northwestern milkman for Kayo Chocolate Milk . . . fresh, hometown milk blended with rich chocolate . . . all the nutritional benefits of plain milk, plus the child-appealing taste of chocolate . . . The youngsters will love it . . . and it's so much better for them than pop . . . kinder to the teeth, too! . . . Northwestern Creamery Ltd., 1015 Yates St., 282-7147.

Bare spots on the backs of mirrors are often effectively repaired just by covering them with aluminum foil, secured to the glass with shellac or glue.

Gifting made easy . . .

Seems to us Eaton's must have a particularly soft spot for ladies . . . because they do such a superb job at arranging weddings in every smallest detail . . . and long before the wedding they get things off to a good start with their Gift Registry . . . quite unique in this city because it embraces everything for home . . . instead of just one category of gifts . . . Eaton's Gift Consultant . . . who's had special training for the job . . . will help the bride-to-be plan her new home . . . then list gift preferences for the benefit of relatives and friends who want to be sure their offerings will be received with enthusiasm and never duplicated or returned! . . . All the lucky gal need do is pass the word along that she's registered with Eaton's . . . the Gift Consultant will take it from there . . . keep the list up to date . . . assist, if desired, in the purchase of gifts . . . or even select them herself if the donor is unable to shop in person . . . We should add that this Gift Registry is not confined to brides . . . any customer who wishes may register, and be reminded by Eaton's of special occasions . . . well in advance . . . (Timely hint to husbands who are prone to forgetfulness!) . . . Eaton's Gift and Bridal Registry, 283-7141, Local 375.

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Saturday was a red letter day for the Layfield family. It was the first time the seven children of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Layfield had been together at one time and they made the most of it. They came from all over the country, bringing their children and grandchildren with them. The family met on steps at the Legislative Buildings for a picture, and from there went to a picnic at Gorge Road Park. A supper and social evening of dancing followed in the View Royal Community Hall. In 1927 Mr. and Mrs. Layfield Sr. came to Canada from England with their four daughters, Betty, Dorothy, Catherine and Edith, and son Arthur. The family moved to Carragana, Sask., and when two more sons, Raymond and Allen, were born, the older girls were away from home working. As a result the family were never at home all at one time.

Mr. Layfield died in 1963, predeceased by his wife in 1947.

All their descendants, the seven children, 23 grandchildren and 29 great-grandchildren, are still living. Two of their daughters and two sons are now living in Victoria with their families. They are Mrs. G. C. (Edith) Eby, Mrs. Clifton (Catherine) Phoenix, and Allen and Raymond. Another son Arthur and family, live in Edmonton. A daughter, Mrs. Fred (Betty) Lockhurst and family live in Kelowna, and another daughter, Mrs. Ken (Dorothy) Doyle and family are residents of Burnaby.

Just 14 members of the family were unable to come. Top row, left to right, represents the elder members: Mr. Meade Hepworth, Mrs. Fred Lockhurst (Kelowna), Mr. Ken Doyle and Mrs. Ken Doyle (Burnaby), Mr. Arthur Layfield and Mrs. Layfield (Edmonton), Mr. Clifton Phoenix and Mrs. Phoenix, Mr. Glen Eby and Mrs. Eby, Mr. Raymond Layfield and Mrs. Layfield and Mr. Allen Layfield and Mrs. Layfield. — (Robin Clark)

For July Bride

Mother's Locket 'Something Old'

A locket which had been given to her mother at her wedding was the "something old" talisman for Noella Mae Ballerone when she exchanged marriage vows and rings with Peter Wilfred Seward at Gordon United Church.

The bride's gown was of white lace over tulle, with scalloped detail highlighting the hemline. The slim-fitting gown featured sheer long sleeves of lace. Small white roses were on the bodice which held her shoulder-length scalloped veil. She carried red roses and white carnations in her bouquet.

Rev. C. G. Smith officiated at the service uniting the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noel Ballerone, 2738 Claude Road, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Seward, 1929 Sooke Road. Mr. Ballerone gave his daughter in marriage and organist was Ernest Yates.

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Reed-Merry

Her scalloped illusion veil misted in tiers to her fingertips, held by a fabric rose headpiece of Swiss chiffon and peau de soie, starred with lily of the valley, when Sandra Jane Merry became the bride of Wayne Reed in St. Mary's Church.

The exquisite veil complemented her floor-length gown of puffed crystal crepe styled on A-lines, which was fashioned with a full cathedral train of crystal crepe lined with peau de soie that swept back from the shoulders. She carried a crest bouquet of yellow tulle roses and white chrysanthemums.

Canon Jack Rogers officiated at the service uniting the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eric G. Merry, 1251 West Burnside Road, and the son of Mrs. Elizabeth Kelo Reed, 1271 Faithful Street.

The bride's senior attendants, Mrs. Marvin Copp, matron of honor; bridesmaid Mrs. Don Irish, and bridesmaid Miss Lorraine Merry, the bride's sister, were groomed alike in gold peau d'elegance, styled on A-lines and featuring bodices of gold lace and cap sleeves. They wore small lace cap headpieces centred with dark gold fabric roses. Their cascade bouquets were of gold and bronze chrysanthemums. Little Denise Copp was flower girl for her aunt, wearing a short frock of yellow peau de soie styled with a lace bodice. She carried a nosegay of yellow chrysanthemums.

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Finals Today at Elk Lake

Skiers Stay on Top

John Perrault and John Rodrigue, both from Quebec, maintained their championship standing Saturday in Canadian national ski championship eliminations at Elk Lake.

Perrault topped the men's tricks eliminations and came first in men's overall championship.

Rodrigue placed second in men's jumping and third in men's tricks to take second place overall. Both men made over more than 2,500 points each, enough to allow them to qualify for the national team trials Aug. 19-20 in Sherbrooke, Que.

DEFENDING TITLE

Both were on the national team last year, and Perrault, last year's overall champion, was defending his title Saturday.

Also trying out for the national team this year is 15-year-old George Athans, of Kelowna, who placed second in boys' slalom.

Athans, who is leaving Monday for special ski training in Sherbrooke, is one of three or so people in the world who can ski barefoot from dead stop on shore.

NOON SHOW

In the special noon show today, he will demonstrate this trick. There also will be kite flying and other stunts in the water show.

Ron Tipton of Lake Cowichan.

who won the men's jumping, came third in men's overall. He jumped a distance of 106 feet.

In men's slalom eliminations, Ross Pawson of Ontario and Clint Ward of Quebec tied for first place. In another tie, Gary Hugel of Victoria and Ken Matheson of Vancouver, both got third place.

BOYS' WINNER

Boys' slalom was won by Robert Principe of Ontario. In third place was Rick Crider of Vancouver.

Vaillia Hoggan, of Quebec, won the women's jumping, and was the only one to gain enough points to qualify.

In today's events, which begin at 8:30 a.m. due to extra contestants, skiers will compete in finals.

MEDALS TODAY

First, second and third in each event today get a medal. Saturday's elimination winners were awarded trophies.

Today's events, beginning at 8:30 a.m. are: Boys' tricks, women's jumping, boys' jumping, noon ski show, women's tricks, men's tricks, women's slalom, men's slalom, and men's jumping.

The world championship, held every two years, takes place Aug. 23 to Sept. 4 in Sherbrooke.

Courtroom Parade

Three-Time Loser Gets Three Months

A third conviction for driving while disqualified meant three months in jail for Bruce Burton, 1190 Rock, when he appeared in central magistrate's court Saturday.

Burton pleaded guilty to the charge and admitted having been convicted of the same offence two years ago on successive days.

CAR SKIDDED

He was charged after his car skidded 100 feet on Dallas near Simcoe at 1 a.m. Saturday. His car then snapped a boulevard tree and a wooden stanchion, court was told. He said he was forced off the road by another car.

Magistrate Edmond Jorre de St. Jorre told Burton: "You are what you are, a three-time loser."

Athens Venables, 2622 Richmond, was sentenced to 21 days in jail when he pleaded guilty to impaired driving. He admitted being convicted of the same offence May, 1966.

Venables was stopped after driving erratically on Esquimalt Road at about 5 a.m. Saturday. The muffler of his car was dragging on the ground. His licence was suspended.

A Saanich policeman watched as George Nestor, 210 Maddock East, manoeuvred in the Red Lion Inn parking lot just after

midnight Friday and struck two parked cars.

Nestor pleaded guilty to impaired driving and was fined \$350. His licence was suspended.

Police chased Charles Merrill to his home at 1100 Esquimalt Road Friday night and court was told that Merrill wouldn't stop because the bars on his motorcycle were higher than regulations allowed.

Merrill pleaded guilty to careless driving and was fined \$30. His licence was suspended.



Caber of Distinction

Heavy centennial caber nearly 20 feet long is tested gingerly by Richard Gilda of Bellingham during Highland Games at Macdonald Park Saturday.

—Jim Ryan

Empress Loses First Set

TV Debut Short-Lived

Television sets have been brought into the Empress Hotel in numbers for the first time over the last few weeks, and there has been one casualty already.

A hotel security officer told city detectives Friday one portable television set was stolen from a room during the week.

Also stolen were four bedspreads worth a total of \$175, and two pairs of drapes.

The goods were taken from rooms rented to two men who gave out-of-town addresses.

Until the first phase of Operation Tea Cup at the hotel was completed earlier this month, the hotel operated with direct current electricity, and without television.

Thieves took \$190 in cash and about six bottles of liquor from the home of Wing Leong, 715 Princess, sometime Friday afternoon. A bedroom window was broken and the room ransacked.

McRae Hearing Cost May Reach \$75,000

The McRae arbitration hearing may cost close to \$75,000, some observers said Saturday.

Barrow Back Home

An aluminum wheelbarrow which recently fell off a car as the owner pulled away from a stop sign found its way home by a devious route.

City detectives located the man who had picked up the missing article, but he said that he was waiting for an ad to appear in the newspapers so the article could be returned to its owner.

Friday night, Stanley Fox, 1586 Bethune retrieved his wheelbarrow, worth \$64, from the police station.

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Results

Victorians Win Highland Titles

Gail Bamford, of Victoria, won the William Auckland trophy for highest points in all events at the Victoria Highland Games Saturday, and Angus MacKenzie, also of Victoria, won the open championship.

Other results:

NOVICE
Sword dance, under 16—Sandra Knight, Ovenshine, over 16—Diane Lett, Victoria; boys' under 16—Jeffrey Kerr, Victoria; girls' over 16—Julia Rydberg, Vancouver; girls' under 16—Debbie Clark, Richmond; girls' under 16—Gail Bamford, Victoria.
Highland ring, boys' under 16—Jeffrey Kerr, Victoria; over 16—Julia Rydberg, Vancouver; under 16—Gail Bamford, Victoria.
Sword dance, boys' under 16—Jeffrey Kerr, Victoria; over 16—Cathie Gower, Victoria; under 16—Kathy Cameron, North Vancouver; under 16—Gail Bamford, Victoria.
Sailor's hornpipe, over 16—Cathie Gower, Victoria; under 16—Kathy Cameron, North Vancouver; under 16—Gail Bamford, Victoria. Aggregate trophy—Gail Bamford, Victoria.

PROFESSIONAL
Highland ring—Donna Allen, Vancouver; sword dance—Angus MacKenzie, Victoria; sword thrust—Angus MacKenzie; sailor's hornpipe—Mary McMillan, Vancouver. Aggregate winner—Angus MacKenzie, Victoria.

JUNIOR
Highland ring, under 16—Cathy Guller, Victoria; under 11—Cheryl Ratner, Victoria; under 9—Beverly Miller, Bamford.
Sword dance, under 16—Heather Anne Lyle, New Westminster; under 9—Dorinda Smith, Vancouver.
Sailor's jig, under 16—Cathy Guller, Victoria; under 11—Terese Schindler, Vancouver; under 9—Mary MacIsaac, Victoria.
Sword thrust, under 11—Cheryl Ratner, Victoria.

PIPING
Girls' amateur marches — Sandra Campbell, Vancouver; novice marches—Timothy Kerr, Portland; juvenile marches — Bill Russell, Leaside; junior marches — Kevin Wood, Vancouver; professional marches — Ray Marie MacIsaac, Vancouver.
Pipe band competition, class C winner—Highland Laidlaw Pipe band, Vancouver.
Class B winner: Port Moody Pipe Band.

New Principal For Institute

New principal of the B.C. Institute of Technology in Burnaby is Dean Gould, formerly assistant director of adult education for Vancouver school board and assistant director of City College. He succeeds E. C. Roper, who retired in June.

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Boy's Fish Comes Through

King Fisherman special junior hidden weight prize winner Jim Kirby, 13, prepares to take off for Nahmint Lake for centennial aircraft campout and fishing trip with stepfather, Tony Baratta, right, and pilot Vic Dawson. Trip, sponsored by Victoria Flying

Club and past president Dawson has taken Jim and his stepfather to lake for full weekend's fishing. They will return Monday. Young man won prize with a 3.5-pound bass from Elk Lake. See also page 17.—(Kinman)

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Fast Action Puzzles Poodle

Wide-eyed and rather perplexed at fast action in B.C. Open Tennis Championships at Racquet Club Saturday was toy poodle Sweetie Pie, who was given reassuring nuzzle by his master, Stacy Priheas, seven, son of Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Priheas, of East Seattle. (William E. John)

Salk Polio Vaccine Becomes History

Salk polio vaccine, the medical achievement that 12 years ago eliminated those terrible summertime fears, this week steps back into history.

Starting Tuesday, the British Columbia public health service will replace its free Salk vaccine with the newer and less expensive Sabin type.

GIVEN ORALLY

Dr. A. A. Larsen, provincial epidemiologist, said Saturday that while both have been used for several years the decision to switch to Sabin alone was made because it's easier to administer, not as costly and more effective than the Salk preparation.

While Salk had to be injected, Sabin is given orally.

Dr. Larsen said that while the Salk program is being abandoned, the name of the researcher whose discovery has virtually obliterated polio will never be forgotten.

"Dr. Jonas Salk now is in other fields of research and we probably will be hearing a lot more of him," added Dr. Larsen.

NONE SINCE 1965

While Dr. Larsen did not have the figures with him at home, he said he was certain there has been no polio reported in B.C. since 1965.

That means it took only 10 years — Salk's dramatic discovery was announced April 12, 1955 — to lick polio in this province.

But remember what it was like before then — the RCAF flying iron lungs to places like Burns Lake and Kimberley when the communities had epidemics, Royal Jubilee Hospital treating as many as 60 polio victims at one time and those pictures of three members of a Victoria family who came down with it.

NO CROWDS

Then there were those warnings to stay away from crowds, avoid fatigue and keep out of the sun.

Jack Aceman of Aceman Investments, Vancouver, said the firm's investments would be the only local money involved and senior financing would probably come from the United States.

The project was given final approval by Saanich council a month ago. A proposal for a garden-type apartment adjoining the shopping centre was rejected by council.

Mr. Aceman said that although plans were not final, the project would consist of between 75,000 and 80,000 square feet on 6.5 acres of land just north of Ruby Road, east of Shelbourne. Included in the project, besides retail stores and a supermarket, would be space for offices and service businesses.

Huge Drug Haul Made in France

EPINAL, France (Reuters) — Police have seized nearly half a ton of opium and a ton of mercury found hidden in the chicken coop of a farm house near here. The haul, believed stolen from a drug company near Paris, was unofficially estimated to be worth \$1,000,000. Five persons were arrested.

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Greater Victoria High School Exams

Eight Graduates Top 90 Per Cent

Eight Greater Victoria high school graduates have scored more than 90 per cent averages in departmental exams written in June, it was announced Saturday.

Five of the eight are graduates of Victoria High School.

All of the eight qualify for remission of three-quarters of their university tuition fees, a gift of \$321.

This year no Greater Victoria high school grad came near winning the governor-general's silver medal for highest rank on the departmental exams.

It was won by Paul Kergin of New Westminster, with an average of 97 per cent.

OTHER HIGHS

Highest mark in the capital region was scored by Ralph William Sarniak, 2612 Blackwood, a graduate of Vic High. His average mark of 94 per cent was a three-way tie for sixth place.

Other Greater Victoria high scorers:

Robert Franklin Whitmore, 3115 Glasgow Avenue, Vic High, 93.75 per cent.

Jeanne Martine Massey, 951 Nicholson Street, Vic High, 93.5 per cent.

OAK BAY

Michael Clement Brock, 3360 Woodburn Avenue, University School, 93 per cent.

James Frederick Henderson, 2580 Bowker Avenue, Oak Bay High, 93 per cent.

Paul Julius Pearlman, 3275

Uplands Road, Oak Bay High, 93 per cent.

Tony Quon, 1216 Princess Avenue, Vic High, 93 per cent.

Cedric Albert Zala, 3901 Rowley Road, Vic High, 93 per cent.

THREE-QUARTERS

In B.C., students writing junior matriculation exams who score first-class honors — an 80 per cent average or higher — receive three-quarters of tuition fees to university or to the B.C. Institute of Technology.

The top 3,500 students making second-class honors — 70 to 80 per cent — receive half their tuition fees. The next 3,500 sec-

ond-class students get a one-third fee grant.

Scholarship students make application for their grants when they enrol at university. The money is paid by the government directly to the university.

Names of all successful candidates for government scholarships will be announced later.

B.C.'s three public universities also will make announcements of their awards based on government marks.



Dial 900

Merged

Appeal Goal Higher

The objective of this year's Community Chest drive will be 33 per cent higher than last year because of the Red Cross merger and the addition of two new agencies.

Budget this year is \$600,000. Last year it was \$452,000.

NEW NAME

This year the chest, with the merger of the Red Cross, has a new name: the United Red Feather-Red Cross Appeal.

Higher costs this year are due also to existing agencies asking for more.

Besides Red Cross, new organizations are the Handicapped Children's clinic and the Alano Club. The children's clinic on Argyle Street looks after 105 children and the Alano Club is involved in the rehabilitation of alcoholics.

QUOTAS

The children's clinic was supported previously by the Thanksgiving Seal campaign of the Knights of Pythias.

Red Cross quota this year is \$85,000; the children's clinic: \$20,000; and also the Alano Club: \$4,000.

Campaign chairman for the fall drive is Gil Auchincloss.

River Takes Boy's Life

PENTICTON (CP) — James Charles Duncan, 10, of Campton, drowned in the Samulmheen River near here. RCMP at Keremeos said the boy went swimming with his mother and three sisters and got into trouble in deep, fast-running water.

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17. Don't Let the Rain Fall.....The Clefters
18. Let's Live for Today.....The Grassroots
19. Heroes and Villains.....The Beach Boys

Teenager

Sleep Trouble Easily Fixed

Are you getting all the sleep you need? Most young people have a talent for sleeping around the clock — especially at midsummer during vacation — but there are exceptions.

John is so jittery about his summer school studies that he falls asleep over his books at midnight, wakes at 4 a.m. for more study, and yawns all day.

Suzie broke up with Sam and does more weeping than sleeping these nights.

Jim stays up late to prove he's grown up, then in class sleeps with his eyes wide open. (If we are tired enough, we blank out, eyes open, mind shut.)

All three have sleep problems. Why, and what can they do about it?

John worries himself into a state of tension. He'll have to get over the habit.

"Don't let yourself get too keyed up during the day," says Hans Selve of the University of Montreal, authority on stress and how to deal with it. (He's author of *The Stress of Life*, published by McGraw-Hill.)

"Don't overwork your body or your mind. If you do, you'll get yourself into a mental rut and repeat the routine all night." Then, no sleep for long.

Suzie's problem is emotional.

Our emotions, according to an American Medical Association pamphlet, are by far the greatest cause of sleep problems. Emotions gone wild can damage your health, affect your behavior, destroy your efficiency.

What's the treatment? Remove the cause, or get so interested in something else that the emotion-causing problem becomes less important.

Jim is one of the teenagers who believes that keeping late hours proves his maturity.

"Actually," says Harry J. Johnson, MD, director of Life Extension Foundation of New York, "teen sleep dodgers are setting up a pattern which will handicap them for the rest of their lives."

"Short-changing yourself on sleep will catch up with you. One day you will suddenly lose your energy, become heir to various ailments, and find your general health rapidly deteriorating. Effects of sleeplessness are cumulative. If sleep has rejuvenating powers, it should be clear that lack of sleep will make our bodies more vulnerable to disease."

No one can determine for you exactly what sleep pattern or quantity is right for you. Some find several short periods more restful than a straight eight hours.

In teens, you may need nine or more hours of sleep. When you are active, running around, you need plenty. As a young adult, this might drop to eight or even seven and a half. Average for adults is eight hours, according to sleep research experts at UCLA, Anthony Keales, MD, and Allan Jacobson, neuro-physiologist.

To develop good sleep habits, Dr. Johnson suggests:

- Have a regular time to go to bed. Try different schedules

special permission is given, but so far it has been refused to Donovan.

It is feared the Rolling Stones will be the next to suffer because of this regulation.

Dino has completed his first movie, entitled *A Boy A Girl*.

Paul McCartney is again minus his moustache.

Guru, an Indian holy man, is pictured on the cover of Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band five times.

Hit singles: Things about the same as last week. The Beatles are getting a lot of call.

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For Kite Turnell's new, free leaflet "Facts and Myths About Sleep," send a self-addressed, stamped envelope with your request, care of this newspaper. This leaflet tells how to sleep enough, and well, and why it's important, based on research by authorities in New York, Louisiana, and at UCLA.

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... Margaret Merrill.

Letters to Kite

Sum Up Some Before Perm

Dear Kate Turnell: There are two factions in our village. The permanent residents and the summer residents. The 'perms' and the 'sums'. The sums always manage to do interesting things but the perms just swim. The sums ignore the perms and vice versa. I am a perm but would like to join the sums.

"One day when my girl friend (who doesn't like the sums) and I were coming back from swimming some sums said hello to us and were very friendly, my girl friend was very rude to them and now they just ignore us. Now my girl friend ruined my chances. What can I do to make them see that I want to join them?" — "Bee"

Dear "Bee": You have a right to choose your friends and make new ones among the "sums."

As "perms" none of you should be rude to summer visitors. Likewise, they have no right to be rude to you or belittle you or your town.

So continue to be friendly and find ways to get acquainted and show hospitality. But don't

ignore the "perms" with whom you will spend most of the year after the "sums" depart.

"Dear Kite: I was going out with this guy I'll call Dan. He is two years younger than I am. I went out with him for a period of one year and eight months. I still see him around and I like him a lot. Please tell me what to do. I don't want anyone except him." — "Desperate"

Dear "Desperate": You don't say why you stopped going together. If some misunderstanding is to blame, ask him to talk it over with you. If you owe him an apology for something you did and now regret, give it to him, soon as you can, just to ease your mind, even if that does not bring him back to you.

'Don't Break Heart'

You'll be more attractive to him — and others — if you are on the go to do interesting things. In groups you enjoy. Instead of moping around, waiting and hoping for his return.

"Dear Kite Turnell: I have a cousin who writes to me. How can I tell him to stop writing to me without breaking his heart? Please help me." — Linda

Dear Linda: Tell him you are too busy with friends, dates, etc., to keep up a steady correspondence. Offer to help him find another "pen-pal." If he thinks of you as a cousin — not as a girl friend — why should this break his heart?

"Dear Kite: I know this boy and I like him; I think he likes me. But when the girls start talking about him, I shy away. We're both shy of each other. So? — "B"

Dear B: Assume he likes you but does not want to be quizzed or teased about it or he'll feel more shy. Nine out of 10 are shy sometimes and it's nothing to be ashamed of; sometimes it's more attractive than to be too bold.

Q. "What's in, in slang? — "Curious"

A. That varies with the community — although many slang-fad phrases start on radio and TV, at about the same time. Here are some "in" expressions:

"Ruff" meaning good. "Mental or total" meaning a "squirrel." "Tough jam" meaning a recording apt to hit the top 10.

Don Adams' popular phrases from TV's *Get Smart*: "Would you believe?" "Sorry about that," etc. are still going the rounds. "Out phrases" include "squares" and "goodies."

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which doesn't tell anything.

d. Two clubs. Partner's simple rebid of one spade is

not forcing, but game may just be there if North is

maximum or if he has a heart suit. The question is

whether South should bid two clubs or one no trump,

and it is a sound maxim that the weak member of the

partnership should not rush to bid no trump in front of

the strong hand. Playing the Big Club, it is possible to

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Young Driver Killed Instantly When Thrown from Death Car

A car door remained impaled in a utility pole on a gentle curve of Sooke Road Saturday, a grim reminder of an accident that took the life of Wayne Ronald Forbes, 19, of 771 Station.

Wayne died instantly when his car slammed into the pole at about 12:10 a.m. Saturday.

Car Rides Ditch, Slams Pole

His car — he was the sole occupant — was sliced in half by the impact.

The top of the pole snapped and Wayne was found lying

near it, about 36 feet away from the base of the pole with the left front door of the car embedded deeply in it.

Efforts to drag the door clear have been unsuccessful and it will probably go when the wooden pole is replaced.

Cowwood RCMP officers said the car, headed east toward Victoria, travelled 126 feet in a ditch before hitting the pole. The front of the car was

relatively undamaged. The rear was a mangled mess.

Still in the car were the youth's shoes.

No one saw the crash, but neighbors heard it and called RCMP.

It was the 13th fatal road accident in the Greater Victoria area this year. Wayne lived with his par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. David Forbes. He is survived by his parents, and brothers David of 2885 Leigh; Len and Ian in Winnipeg; and sisters Mary, at home, and Mrs. Ruby Cochrane of 3765 Duke.

He was born in Winnipeg, and moved here with his parents three years ago. Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Tuesday in Sands' chapel at Cowwood, with Elder Kenneth W. Seargeant officiating.

Coroner Edmond Jorre de St. Jorre said a post-mortem was held Saturday and that a decision on whether to hold an inquest or an inquiry will be made next week.



Forbes



Door imbedded in pole

Harmac Battle: Week-Long Lull

HARMAC—Legal action to block suspension of 50 employees at the Harmac pulp mill of MacMillan Bloedel Ltd. near Nanaimo for refusing to join the Pulp and Paper Workers of Canada was adjourned Friday until next Thursday.

Company lawyer Royd Ferris told Mr. Justice Peter Nealon in B.C. Supreme Court that no action will be taken during the adjournment.

The men are members of the International Brotherhood of Pulp, Sulphite and Paper Mill Workers, which was formerly certified at the Harmac mill.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed tenders for the construction of "RANGER STATION BUILDINGS" at Gold River, B.C., will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m. (P.D.S.T.) on the 31st of August, 1967, and opened in public at that time.

Plans and specifications may be viewed at or after July 31st, 1967, from:

- (1) The District Forester, Marine Building, Vancouver.
- (2) The Forest Rangers, Gold River, Campbell River, Courtenay.
- (3) Engineering Services Division, B.C. Forest Service, Parliament Buildings, Victoria.

A deposit of \$15.00 is required which will be refunded upon return of the plans and specifications, in good condition, within 30 days of the opening of tenders. The successful tenderer's plan deposit is not refundable.

Plans may also be viewed on or after July 31st, 1967, at:

- (1) The Provincial Government, Plan Viewing Room, 14th Floor, Dominion Bank Bldg., 207 W. Hastings St., Vancouver, B.C.
- (2) The Industrial Construction Centre, 1227 W. Broadway, Vancouver.
- (3) Amalgamated Construction Assn., Vancouver Branch, 2875 Oak St., Vancouver 8, B.C.
- (4) Amalgamated Construction Assn., Victoria Branch, 541 Banton St., Victoria, B.C.
- (5) Architectural Centre, 587 Burrard St., Vancouver 1, B.C.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the form provided and signed.

No tender shall be considered having any qualifying clauses whatsoever, and the lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Tenders must be submitted in the envelope marked "Tender for Ranger Station Buildings at Gold River, B.C."

Deputy Minister of Forests, Parliament Bldg., Victoria, B.C.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS AND NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

SEALING TENDERS TO BE OPENED

Sealed tenders will be received in the office of the Indian Commissioner for B.C. until 5:30 p.m. (P.D.S.T.) on August 31, 1967, for the construction by contract of River Bank Protection Works on Puntledge River, Puntledge Indian Reserve No. 2, Courtenay, Vancouver Island, B.C., known as the Puntledge River Project.

Contractors shall tender in complete accordance with the terms and conditions set out in the tender form and the specifications provided by the Department for that purpose.

Sealed tenders will not be accepted if they are received after the time specified in the tender form and the specifications provided by the Department for that purpose.

The tendering documents will be available at the following points from July 31, 1967, until August 31, 1967, inclusive: The Office of the Indian Commissioner for B.C., Federal Building, 205 Granville Street, Vancouver 2, B.C.

General instructions to tenderers, drawings and specifications are obtainable at the same offices, at a cost of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for each set of documents in the form of a certified cheque made payable to the Receiver General of Canada. This deposit will be refunded upon return of the drawings and specifications, in good condition, to the issuer within two months from the date on which tenders are closed.

To receive consideration, tenders must be submitted on the tender form provided and must be accompanied by a certified cheque drawn on a chartered bank in Canada, payable to the Receiver General of Canada, or an amount equal to ten per cent of the tender price.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all tenders and the lowest tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Indian Affairs Branch, Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed tenders for the installation of ELECTRICAL SERVICE MODIFICATIONS at B.C. FOREST SERVICE NURSERY, DUNCAN, B.C., will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m. (P.D.S.T.) on the 31st of August, 1967, and opened in public at that time.

Plans and specifications may be viewed at or after July 31st, 1967, from:

- (1) Nursery Superintendent, B.C. Forest Service, Duncan, B.C.
- (2) Engineering Services Division, B.C. Forest Service, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C.

A deposit of \$15.00 is required which will be refunded upon return of the plans and specifications, in good condition, within 30 days of the opening of tenders. The successful tenderer's plan deposit is not refundable.

Plans may also be viewed on or after August 1st, 1967, at:

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Tenders must be submitted in the envelope marked "Tender for Electrical Service Modifications at Duncan Forest Nursery."

Deputy Minister of Forests, Parliament Bldg., Victoria, B.C.

'Kiss of Life' Saves, Rescuer Honored

By RUTH MCKELLAR

COURTENAY — Five people are alive today because of the prompt action and knowledge of one man, Al Harvie, holder of the bronze medalion and bar, and a letter of commendation from the Royal Canadian Humane Association.

He is one of two people in Canada to hold these distinctions.

Recently retired from the RCAF after 15 years service as a medic, Mr. Harvie previously served in the merchant navy for 12 years. During that time he was torpedoed in the Atlantic six times.

In one incident, only seven survived enemy action. Five of those later died in the lifeboat after 32 tortuous days at sea.

Several of his family of eight children have followed in his footsteps; his oldest son is in the RCAF as a medic

and his oldest girl who was also in the service, is now married to a medic in the RCAF.

The first medal was presented to Mr. Harvie in 1956 when he rescued a mother and son from drowning in Pine Lake, near Red Deer, Alta.

The boy had become caught in reeds in the lake and was unconscious when pulled from the water.

Mr. Harvie applied mouth-to-

mouth resuscitation for half an hour. Both mother and son recovered and returned to their home in the U.S.

In September, 1961, he again saved two lives when a man and woman were struggling at Grand Bend, near London, Ont., the girl caught in a rip tide, the man in difficulty after he jumped in to save her.

Mr. Harvie again applied mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

His letter of commendation was for saving an elderly man from choking. The man had narrowly missed a serious car crash and had swallowed his tongue.

He was turning blue when Mr. Harvie came upon the scene.

Mr. Harvie, who comes to Courtenay from Clinton, Ont., is the new area representative for Cantin Moving and Storage Ltd.

At present he is living in a motel but expects to find a house soon and settle down to life in the Comox Valley.

Airline Talks Again Today

VANCOUVER (CP) — Union and company officials will meet again today in an attempt to avert a strike slated to start against Canadian Pacific Airlines at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday.

The International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers met CPA representatives for more than nine hours Saturday.

But Brass Section Beats Machines

Students Face Loud Music

Stories and photo
By AGNES FLETT

COURTENAY—About 50 young musicians at the first summer music camp to be held in B.C. are having to compete with carpenters' hammering and roadworkers' loud machines.

The camp is being held at beautiful Puntledge Park Elementary School on the outskirts of Courtenay, where the two-week camp was advertised as "music instruction in a quiet and relaxed setting."

However the loud brass instruments seem to outdo

any of the harsh sounds from workmen's machines.

Director of the camp, which is providing orchestral training for music students from throughout the province, is Vancouver Symphony's Simon Streetfield, formerly of London, England.

The school has had the desks moved out from some classrooms and mattresses moved in.

They were loaned from the Courtenay Hospital.

The cafeteria provides meals for the students, who seem to want to practice all the time, either in the gymnasium, in classrooms, or after wandering off to a quiet spot nearby.

Although there is a wide opportunity for recreation,

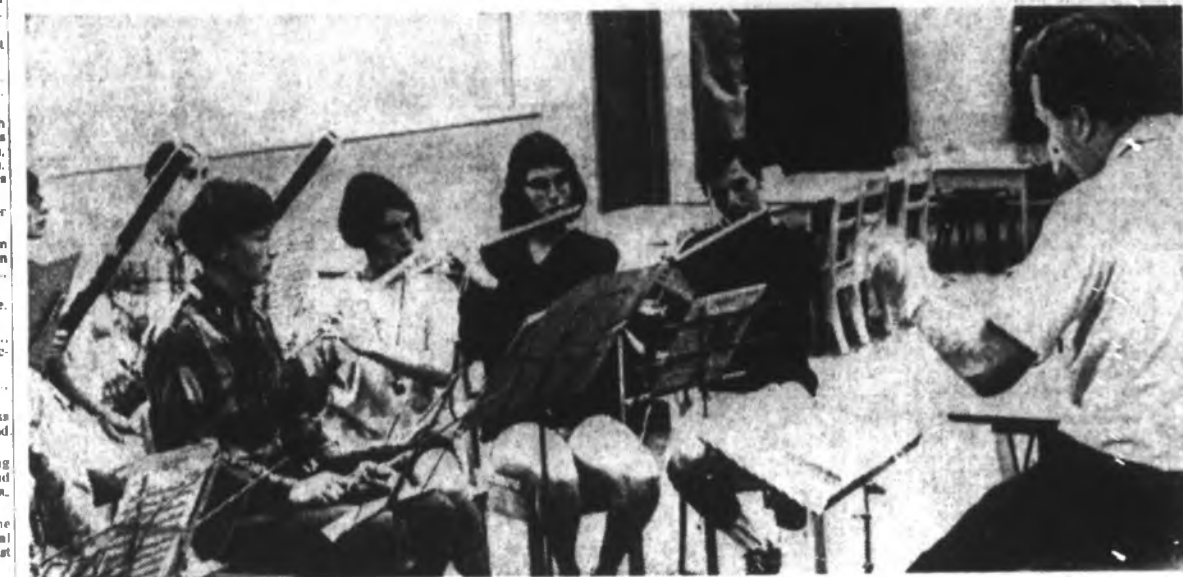
such as hikes, barbecues and swimming, most of the students seem to prefer starting early in the day with their instruments.

Early risers have upset some who would rather sleep in "What idiot was playing the violin at 6 a.m.?" was found scrawled on a window.

On this visit, I found Simon Streetfield conducting wind instrument classes indoors and outdoors and Norman Nelson conducting a string instrument quartet outside in the shade.

The brass section always plays outdoors — they make the most noise. Sorry, music.

The camp looks like being quite successful and it will probably be held again next year.



Simon Streetfield's baton hand moves faster than the camera lens can catch



'Please Do Not Feed the Gobblers'

In theory, garbage gobblers along Island Highway are effective in getting motorists not to litter roadsides. However, when garbage is not collected, gobblers become ugly monsters. Here, young Ruth

Flett of Nanaimo feeds hungry gobbler in Nanoose Bay whose eyes and mouth are bigger than his stomach.—(Agnes Flett)

'Bright' Centennial Project New Park Opens

COWICHAN STATION — The school band from Tillamook, Ore., will perform at the opening of the new park.

Members of the Duncan Teen-town will serve refreshments during the opening.

The 28-acre park is located below Cowichan Station on Twigg Road, off Fairbridge Road, and about six miles south of Duncan.

Present development of the park includes the installation of 35 picnic tables, a change house incorporating six units and wash basins, a parking lot, gravel roads and an 185-foot suspension bridge across the Koksilah River.

Mr. Howden said future developments will include the re-establishment of old logging roads through the park, clearing for camping sites and additional parking space, and construction of a ball diamond.

When the project is completed, the property will be turned over to the South-Cowichan parks committee by the centennial committee.

During the dedication ceremony a six-foot cairn and inscribed plaque will be unveiled by Mrs. Jack Fleetwood, whose husband named the park and donated five of the 28 acres.

Henry Dorsch donated one acre to complete the park area on one side of the river, and the 22 acres on the other side of the river were donated by the Highways Department.



Workmen build span in sky

VANCOUVER (CP) — The parks board has asked council to foot \$51,000 of an \$80,000 bill for beach cleaning equipment to clean up an abundance of litter on city beaches.

LUNDS ESTATE AUCTION

TUES., 7:30 P.M.

On instructions from THE ROYAL TRUST CO., to close the estate of the late

MRS. DOLA CAVENTISH and other sources

NOTE: The antique pieces from the estate will be sold in a forthcoming sale

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Garden Notes

Bank with Ivy

By M. V. CHESNUT

STEEP BANK (A.S., Duncan) — It isn't easy to find a good ground cover for a steeply sloping bank, and I agree that it is useless to try to grow grass on such a slope. Even if you sodded the bank it is impossible to get water to the roots — it simply runs off to lower ground rather than sinking in.

Where the slope is not TOO steep, you can make quite a pretty feature of a dryish bank by planting it up with St. John's Wort, a low shrub with golden tassel blossoms — another name for this shrub is Aaron's Beard.

For a really steep bank, though, a better bet would be ordinary English ivy. It is easy to start from slips, you can root them in jars of water, or even just stick them in the ground after dusting the cut end with a hormone rooting powder.

Ivy takes kindly to a north-facing aspect such as your problem bank. It is true that the leaves are inclined to become dull with dust, but the plant can be quite attractive if washed down with the hose occasionally. It stays green all year round.

SPINSTER CHERRY (K.D., Colwood) — There is nothing wrong whatever with any cherry tree that produces masses of bloom every spring, and you would be very foolish to cut down and destroy such a vigorous and

well-formed specimen. The failure to set fruit is due, purely and simply, to the lack of a suitable mate.

I think I discussed the marital problems of the Bing, Royal Ann and Lambert — the Big Three of the sweet cherries — are all problem children in this respect in that they are no good to one another as sex mates. What you need is a tree of Deacon or Van in your cherry family. These are what might be called universal donors, pollinating the blossoms of all three of the problem trio.

TOO-TALL LILAC (L.W.G., Crofton) — I don't think it would be a very good idea to cut back your elderly and leggy lilac bush to half its present height, not that this would injure the shrub, for lilacs can stand very hard pruning indeed, but the resulting bush would be anything but beautiful in its sawed-off shape.

A better bet would be to rejuvenate your lilac by taking out ONE main stem at ground level every year in March, and allow a limited number of replacement shoots to sprout from the roots.

By cutting down only one stem each year, the suckering effect won't be too prolific. At the end of three or four years, you should have what is virtually a new plant.

MALNUTRITION IN TOMATOES (A.G. McN., Sidney) — The yellowing of the lower leaves on your tomato plants is probably due to a lack of magnesium in your soil. I suggest you water your plants with a solution of Epsom salts in water, ½ lb. per five gallons and about one quart per plant per week until health is restored.

It would speed things up a bit if you were to spray the leaves weekly with the same solution in addition to the root application. Use the same solution but add a little liquid dishwashing detergent to make the spray stick.

SICK HOUSEPLANT (O.J., Victoria) — The unhealthy condition of your Streptocarpus houseplant is due to overwatering. The limp, dejected appearance of the outer leaves, which perk up only briefly and temporarily when watered, is a sure sign of an inadequate root system, and indicates the loss of most of the roots through rotting.

The trouble came about as a result of your practice of keeping the saucer below the pot constantly filled with water, rendering the bottom soil soggy and sodden. Upset the plant, scratch away the soured soil, trim off all discolored roots with scissors and pot in fresh soil with an inch of gravel in the bottom for drainage.

ART BUCHWALD Helps Keep the Peace

Happy Birthday to Them

WASHINGTON — The Soviet Union is celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Bolshevik revolution, but everyone seems to be trying to spoil it for them.

One of the highlights of the year-long celebration was going to be the setting off of a fireworks display in the Middle East this spring.

But Israel refused to go along with the celebration and set off fireworks of its own, thus ruining the Soviet birthday party, which was to have included Arab dancing in the streets of Tel Aviv.

Since then the Soviets have accused the United States of trying to "discredit" their anniversary and the Soviet press claims there is a conspiracy underway to ruin the Soviets' golden birthday.

Even Arthur Schlesinger got into the act the other day, when he urged Harper and Row to postpone the publication of Svetlana Alliluyeva's book about her father, Josef Stalin, until after November 7, the anniversary of the revolution.

Schlesinger thought U.S.-Soviet relations would be dealt a severe blow if Svetlana's memoirs were published before the November ceremonies.

Now it's obvious to everyone that the last thing the United States wants to do is hurt Soviet feelings, particularly since the Soviet Union has been so nice to us in the past few months. So in order to show that there is no conspiracy to ruin their party, a group of us has set up a

Bolshevik golden anniversary committee.

The object of the committee is to make sure nothing is done in the United States to offend the sensibilities of the Soviets.

For a start, the committee intends to buy out Harper and Row's interest in Svetlana's book and see that it isn't published at all.

If this is not possible, then the committee will buy up every copy and burn them in a giant bonfire in front of the Soviet embassy on November 6.

Thus the problem of Svetlana's book will be handled with dignity and dispatch and the spirit of Glasnost will be kept alive.

The committee is also planning to have Arthur Goldbergh bake a beautiful birthday cake

for Nikolai Federenko, the Soviet delegate to the United Nations, which he will present to the Soviet ambassador at a surprise session of the Security Council.

Plans are underway to hold a giant costume ball at the United Nations where everyone will be urged to "come as you were before the Mideast war started."

The grand prize for the best costume will be two weeks in the Sinai Desert with the Egyptian general of your choice.

Other events that are now in the hopper include a "Miss Lenin of 1967" contest at Atlantic City, a ticketless parade down Wall Street led by the Daughters of the Soviet Revolution, and a "Take A Commie to Lunch Week."

SYDNEY HARRIS Queries Quotes

Did So-and-So Say It?

A few weeks after I mentioned the new book Quotations, in the column, Dorothy Parker died in New York at the age of 73. And for at least the last half of her life, she was perhaps the most quoted of American epigrammatists — or wisecrackers, if you will.

Yet, as she grew tired of remarking, most of the Dorothy Parkerisms attributed to her were not hers at all. Other people thought of them, and used her name in attribution, to give the riposte more tone and authority. If all the spurious Dorothy Parkerisms were laid end to end, they'd be better off that way.

But once a bon mot becomes identified with a certain person, nothing in the world can break that association.

It is impossible to convince people that Mark Twain didn't originate: "Everybody talks about the weather, but nobody does anything about it." Twain was simply quoting Charles Dudley Warner, an editor of his day, and no matter how many times Twain denied the authorship, it clung to him.

Look in any modern dictionary of quotations, or anthology of humor, and you are bound to find the citation: "Whenever I feel the need of exercise, I just lie down until the feeling goes away." It is invariably attributed to Robert Baynard Hutchins.

Yet Hutchins no more said that than Twain made the weather remark, or Voltaire the liberty remark, or Lincoln the poor people remark. Many years ago, when Hutchins was being interviewed by J. P. McEvoy, the interviewer quoted some "unsung hero" who had made the exercise remark, and added that Hutchins agreed with him.

Ever since then, despite constant disclaimers, it has been attributed to him; and by now is so firmly entrenched in books that the McEvoy derivation is wholly

forgotten and ignored. If known at all. This, unfortunately, is how much history is written: and tells us something about the ultimate reliability of historical quotations.

People like important and meaningful names to hang quotations on: It helps in debate, and gives the quote an air of knowledgeability. One wonders how many of Caesar's alleged remarks were really made by him, and how many by some Roman scribe imputing authority to his words.

As a profound and disturbing example, we like to think

of the Sermon on the Mount as an actual sermon preached by Jesus. Yet, as the Biblical scholar, Emil Kraeplin, points out, "the fact that Luke has it in shorter form as a Sermon

on the Plain and uses many of the same sayings in other connections than Matthew does," shows that the editorial hand has been at work even on the Beatitudes.

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Pesos Talk and Some Listen

Story,
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by

Patrick O'Neill

"If you don't have a girl, I get a girl for you," said the little boy, as I drove him into downtown Acapulco.

"No thanks," I said. "Aw come on, why not?" he said. "Listen, you like to buy a puppet? I got great puppets."

He held up the ugly puppets in their plastic bags. "How much?" I asked, not really thinking about it.

"For you, a special deal," he said. "Fifty pesos."

I told him I didn't want a puppet. I was driving in from the dark, sea-swept beaches on the curving Acapulco harbor, toward my hotel. I had picked up the little puppet pitchman when he begged a ride into town as I stopped for a red light.

Third Person

He was only the third person I had met in Mexico, in a drive through Mazatlan, Guadalajara and Mexico City, who spoke to me in good English.

But what he had to say wasn't very original. "You don't want a puppet huh? How about for 45 pesos? A good deal, so I can go home."

I told him no, and drove on past the bright neon store fronts and outdoor cafes. It was starting to rain, a heavy, palm-bashing tropical rain.

"What's the matter with you, don't you like girls?" said the kid, as we drove through the rain, by the square, by the Hungry Herman's hamburger place, by the post office and the telegraph office, which are open and packed until midnight.

"Look, I said, 'I'll make you a deal.'"

"What kind of a deal?" he wanted to know.

Offer of Ride

"I'll take you where you're going, if you stop trying to sell me things. Wallets, puppets, girls... anything."

He s a't back, pouting.

"Okay," he said.

He looked out the window with the same angry boredom I'd seen in Mexico City, when shirt-sleeved bullfight fans had whistled their condemnation of a bullfighter.

It was in the Plaza Mexico, the world's biggest bullring, where for as little as 16 cents the Mexicans can sit on the sunny side and watch the newer matadors try the bulls.

A near-riot had broken out when helmeted, tear-gas-gun toting cops had hustled out a cheerleader from Acapulco who had tossed a chicken into the bullring.

The crowd was alive and angry.

Their whistles drove the

young bullfighter on, and on one pass he let the bull get between the cape and the man.

It was all the bull needed. With a flick of his big black head, he drove his horn into the matador, and tossed him high into the air.

The man played dead, lying in pain under the foaming mouth of the bull, as assistants coaxed the beast away.

And the crowd whistled its disapproval.

The man is not supposed to be gored. Shame. A bowl of angry lips pursed in whistling, like the tropical wind bringing the rain slashing down on the cobbles streets of Acapulco.

"Hey, you take me up to the place of the high diver?" the boy asked.

I wanted to know if he would dive in this weather.

"Oh sure, if there are enough Americans to watch," the boy said. "I can sell some puppets."

Shell Out

I said I'd take him up to the cliffs, where buses disgorge sunburned gringos, to cackle, gasp and shell out to see the diver do his spectacular plunge into the night ocean.

It's a good living for the diver, while it lasts.

Many young men are maimed and broken on the rocks in the little bay below the cliff.

But for their few years of

glory, they rise above the straining labor of the faceless Mexicans we saw working streets and fields.

Sweating Hands

Like the man selling spicy, dirt-colored food from a little pushcart outside the noisy, fly-crusted market in Guadalajara.

Like the bending, sweating field-hands, and their slow horses, working the land below Tepic.

Like the ragged children, watching with big eyes as an inspection team burned out a field of hemp in the green hills above San Blas.

And I thought about the only real instance of price shakedown I had found in Mexico:

In a group of cottages on a hill overlooking Acapulco, where the owner books a party in at a low rate.

Then late at night he banged on the door, demanded more money, said the booking had offended some mysterious Mexican law, and said either the money was paid or the party was out.

And he was an American from Detroit.

When I stopped my car, a skinny boy came up and offered to wash my windshield.

"How much?" I asked.

The boy, who hadn't seen that I had one of his

countrymen in the car, called out an exorbitant "cinco pesos."

The boy beside me screamed out something about the windshield wiper's mother, and exploded in obscene laughter.

Dark Platform

On the dark platform under the cliff, I stood behind a Mexican woman and a lovely Spanish-looking girl, flowers in a giant crowd of tourists.

After listening for a moment, I realized the old woman was the mother of the high diver.

She watched, without emotion, as he dramatically threw away his torch.

"He's sure taking his time," said a four-eyed, crewcut tourist boy.

And the mother watched as the diver slowly climbed to the top of the cliff.

"He's kept us waiting for a long time," said the boy, "and just to see a dive. Maybe he won't make it. I hope he hits the rocks. I hope he gets bashed."

Diver's Splash

The Mexican woman looked up calmly, as the diver crossed himself.

He dove, and halfway down, my eyes caught the head of his mother. She suddenly gasped, whirled, and slammed her face into the shoulder of her companion.

The diver hit the water. There was enthusiastic applause from the tourists, and only then did the woman look up, look down, and then up again, with a giant, almost-toothless grin on her face.

"I wonder how their parents feel about them diving like that," said a tourist testily walking away in the throng.

Up in the parking lot, I saw the puppet-seller and several other hustlers from the Mexican junior achievers.

The children of Sanchez were sprawled around, two were sitting on the fenders of my car, calling out their wares to the tourists, moving to their buses.

And with each rejection, they would scream out a phrase in their own language, and then laugh wildly.

I knew just enough Spanish to know their phrases weren't pretty.

The puppet-seller hopped off the fender.

"Hey," he said, "You want to buy a puppet now? Listen, just 20 pesos. For you, a special deal."

I shook my head. Somebody muttered something in Spanish.

"How about a girl? You want to go where the girls live?"

I shook my head again.

"Listen how about giving me a ride home? It's raining," said the kid.

I got in my car. "No," I said, turning the key, "find your own bloody way home."

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Nanaimo Wild About Tub Race



Escorts, Trophies and Fun

Packed Island Centre Ready for Strait Start

By ARNOLD OLSON

NANAIMO—Nowhere in this carnival city Saturday could you escape the subject of bathtubs.

The city went wild with celebrations through the day, evening and night leading up to The Great Bath Tub Race today. Hundreds, even thousands, of people poured in from other Vancouver Island points and the mainland. Every hotel was filled.

The shores were dotted with people watching the trials of the frail-looking vessels. Tubs were on display in hotel foyers and virtually every beer parlor, and also packed along the sidewalks. The CBC, BBC and CBS were

on hand, along with journalists from Canada, the U.S. and Australia. Nanaimo harbor will be filled to capacity this morning with tubs and an estimated \$3,000,000 worth of yachts, all waiting for B.C. centennial chairman Lawrie Wallace and Mayor Matteo to fire the starting flares off Galkova Point on Protection Island.

Ceremonies are scheduled to start at 9 a.m. but, from there on, it will be anyone's guess when the race will begin—despite carefully planned schedules.

The plans of Nanaimo centennial chairman Frank Ney are for a tubpass of the estimated 215 entries from 8 to 10. Then the flares fire and the tubs head out of the harbor on the 33-mile trip across to Fishermen's Cove near Horseshoe Bay.

Every tub will have an escort vessel—that's what the yachts are for—and each entrant must wear a lifejacket and be able to swim 200 yards without assistance.

The method of locomotion could not be more varied—paddles, paddlewheels, oars, hydrofoils and sails, but mostly outboard motors up to a maximum six horsepower.

At least one entry has discovered a way to boost power without attaching a line to the escort vessel. It will "surf" all the way across on the escort's rooster tail.

Each contestant is awarded the Order of the Golden Plug—a real plug which is, like most everything else in this fantastic event, the brainchild of Mr. Ney.

More important, there are 65 centennial trophies for every-

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There's A Tub In There

Underneath saltwater spray in Victoria last Saturday is one local entry in today's Nanaimo centennial bathtub race. Terry Pope, whose outboard can just be seen, pilots Shovelers' Folly, entry backed by employers of wheat pool at Ogden Point docks. — (Jim Ryan)

Fatal Army Shot Isolated In U.S. Calm

One Dead

Mountain Men Missing

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP)—A ground party seeking seven missing climbers found one man dead Saturday at a base camp at the 17,900-foot level of 20,300-foot Mt. McKinley, North America's highest peak.

An intensified ground and air search continued for six others missing since they radioed July 18 they had reached the summit and were starting down.

Officials said the man found at the camp "probably died at altitude sickness and the elements."

CONTACT LOST

The missing men were members of a 12-man U.S. party. The officials said the seven-man party reported "all well" when they radioed they were starting their descent. After that, radio contact was lost and bad weather obscured the mountain for nine days, preventing any search flights until Friday.

Five others in the expedition were taken from the mountain previously and reached here Friday. Four of these made the summit ahead of the missing men, the fifth was sick.

Lieutenant Acquitted

AN KHE, Vietnam (AP)—A U.S. army court martial Saturday acquitted Lieut. John Patrick, 25, of premeditated murder in the slaying of a Viet Cong guerrilla suspect by his platoon. Earlier, his company commander also was acquitted and three enlisted men in the platoon who said they acted on Patrick's orders were jailed.

From AP, UPI

A U.S. army paratrooper shot and killed a fleeing Negro Saturday night, raising the death toll to 41 in the week-long racial riot that has become the worst in modern U.S. history.

It was the first shooting by a regular army man since paratroopers entered the city Monday on orders of President Johnson, but appeared to be an isolated incident.

Calm prevailed in other parts of Detroit and most other riot-troubled U.S. cities.

Police said an army-police patrol was checking a house for looted goods when a Negro with a pistol was seen. He pointed the pistol at the paratrooper, who fired his shotgun. Another Negro who ran past at the wrong moment was killed and the man with the pistol escaped.

With racial disturbances apparently on the wane, Johnson ordered his new 11-member National Advisory Commission on Civil Disorders to get to work.

The commissioners, whose chairman is Illinois Gov. Otto Kerner, were told to shun politics and rubber-stamping and get the truth about the riots—and how to prevent them.

The commission was given until March 31 to come up with an interim report and a year to produce a final report and recommendations. Elsewhere:

● Fruit and flats flew outside the Pike Place public market in downtown Seattle during a demonstration by 20 people, mostly whites, against the use of federal troops in Detroit.

● A band of 60 Negro youths in Brooklyn buried bottles at police and passerby until dispersed by a light rain. No injuries, arrests or looting was reported.

● In downtown Newburgh, N.Y., bands of young Negroes angered by a neo-Nazi rally went on a window-smashing, rock-throwing rampage. About 20 were arrested before City Manager Paul McCauley, a pistol strapped to his belt, took personal charge of police at the scene and calmed things down.

Huge Decks Ablaze

159 DIE, LOST ON CARRIER

SAIGON (AP)—The toll in the fire and explosions that ravaged the U.S. aircraft carrier Forrestal in Tonkin Gulf Saturday soared in the first official announcement to 70 crewmen dead, 78 injured and 89 missing.

The latest casualty figures were announced as the flame-scarred carrier headed under her own power out of the Tonkin Gulf for the naval base at Subic Bay in the Philippines.

The fire, caused when an auxiliary fuel tank dropped from an A-1 Skyhawk, raced across the flight deck crowded with jet aircraft fueled and armed for strikes against North Vietnam. It was the worst of three fires that have struck U.S. carriers off Vietnam in the last nine months.

The disaster destroyed 25 jet fighters—bombers worth about \$50,000,000.

Some of the 4,300 crewmen, cut off on the 1,038-foot-long deck and lacking asbestos gear

in which firefighters worked through the three-hour holocaust, escaped by jumping into the sea.

Some of the 89 listed as missing possibly were aboard other ships that rallied around the Forrestal in Tonkin Gulf. The spokesman said a ship-by-ship canvass for Forrestal crewmen was under way.

Most of the wounded were transferred by helicopters to several other ships, complicating the process of accounting for all members of the Forrestal's crew.

On Oct. 26, the carrier Oriskany was swept by fire that killed 44, and on Nov. 4 eight men were killed in a fire aboard the carrier Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Engines Undamaged

Some additional planes of the 30 or 35 aboard the 78,000-ton ship, which was in the fifth day of her first Vietnam combat tour, were reported damaged.

With the jets costing about \$2,000,000 apiece, the loss in destroyed aircraft alone approximated \$50,000,000.

Her engines unimpaired, the carrier headed out of the gulf in the night for a rendezvous with a hospital ship and then a voyage to Subic Bay.

In the ground war, a tank-supported detachment of the U.S. 9th Marine Regiment completed an overnight reconnaissance in force in the southern section of the demilitarized zone.

U.S. headquarters said there were no altered ground clashes elsewhere but that the war "continued to remain relatively quiet."

Disaster struck the Forrestal

as she nosed into the wind for further raids Saturday morning. Jets were lined up, armed and fueled.

Wrenched by gusty winds, an auxiliary fuel tank dropped from an A-1 Skyhawk. The hot metal of a steam catapult somehow ignited the oil.

Flames raced across the flight deck. Bombs, rockets and other fuel tanks exploded. Fire dipped down to the cavernous hangar deck, where ammunition, rockets and bombs were being readied for the next strike, and to the carpenter's shop and some adjacent compartments.

Sailors and airmen toiled to save the ship. They pushed burning planes over the side and rolled endangered bombs into the sea.

Rear Admiral Harvey O. P. Lowman, who was aboard the Forrestal as commander of Carrier Division II, radioed that he had seen more instances of heroism "than I can count."

Red China Delays Congress

HONG KONG (UPI)—Chinese Communist party leader Mao Tse-tung has ordered the convening of the party's ninth congress for some time next summer, reports reaching here from Peking said today.

Mao said at the eighth congress a year ago he hoped the next would be this summer. The year's delay apparently is due to his fight with President Lin Biao-chi, who can only be fired by a congress.

Colombian Andes

Wide Quake Kills 26

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP)—An earthquake ripped through Venezuela Saturday night from the Andes Mountains to the Caribbean Sea, killing at least 26 by unofficial count and injuring 600.

It was feared the casualty tolls were mounting.

The quake tumbled five apartment buildings in Caracas and damaged an estimated 250 homes.

Dispatches trickling into newspaper offices said the quake was felt from San Cristobal near the Colombian border to Naiguata, a seaside resort just east of here.

A 10-storey building crumbled to the ground in the Altamira district in eastern Caracas just three blocks from the U.S. Embassy. The embassy was not damaged.

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Did Canadians Leak British Secrets?

LONDON (Reuters)—Foreign Secretary George Brown has been asked to investigate whether British secrets were leaked out of the Canadian embassy in Cairo before and during the recent Middle East war, it was learned Saturday.

The inquiry related to the British interests section of the Canadian embassy in Cairo. This office is housed in the British embassy building and has been handling Britain's af-

airs in Egypt since diplomatic relations were broken in 1955. Brown received the request in a letter from a Conservative peer, Lord Lambton, the Foreign Office said. Lord Lambton based his request on the evidence of an RAF officer, Sqdn. Ldr. Hindle James, who was arrested by the Egyptians in Cairo June 6.

James is believed to have reported the Egyptians showed him photostats of letters he sent to the British interests section of the Canadian embassy.



Crewmen fight flight deck fire, above, as copter speeds to rescue



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News From Around Vancouver Island

Inquiry Ordered Into Burying of Boy, 14

SORTULA — An inquiry was ordered Saturday into the death of Arnold Belval, 14, who died Friday when buried by a slide at a gravel pit. RCMP said the boy was shovelling gravel when the pile suddenly slid and buried him.

CHEMAMUS — Eleven-year-old Stephen Craig, of Chemainus, was detained in Chemainus General Hospital overnight Friday after his bicycle and a car collided at the intersection of

Pine and Maple Streets, Chemainus. Police said the boy rode his bicycle into a car driven by Soeren Ingelbrigtsen of Chemainus. Stephen landed on the hood of the car and was taken to hospital by his father.

CAMPBELL RIVER — Plans are being completed by Fire Chief Bill McIntosh and members of the Campbell River Fire Department for the hosting of the 36th annual B.C. Fire Chiefs' College. The four-day

conference will start Tuesday week. Following registration, there will be a parade to the Community Hall where the College will be held. Approximately 350 delegates and their wives from all parts of B.C. are expected to attend. They will be welcomed by Reeve Kenneth McDonald.

DUNCAN — Paul Roberge, 23, of 5806 Jaynes Road, Duncan, has been selected to attend the Pan-American

Games at Winnipeg. He will compete in the paraplegic discus event. He also is back-up man for the swimming event. Mr. Roberge was paralysed from the waist down after a farming accident when the tractor he was driving tipped over and crushed him in 1957. Since 1959 Mr. Roberge has been working in a Duncan jeweller's store.

PORT ALBERNI — For more than a year Ald. Ron Lyon has

been concerned with what he has variously termed a "junk heap and an eyesore" — the square block set aside for building of the Safeway shopping centre at 10th and Bute. Houses were moved some time ago but piles of concrete, old bricks and a growing assortment of odds and ends, together with long grass and unpruned trees has made the area objectionable in the eyes of the alderman and other community-conscious citizens. His recurring

question has been "When are they going to start?" at every council meeting for months. Finally, this week he was able to report bulldozers were on the job, not city bulldozers, but company equipment. They're clearing as ordered, with the promise of actual construction to begin this coming week.

LAKE COWICHAN — An Edmonton man had his parked car completely demolished early Saturday morning when it was

struck by another vehicle. The parked car belonged to Adam Schzeicher. It was parked on North Shore Road, about a mile north of Lake Cowichan. Damage to the vehicle was estimated at \$2,000. The car was struck by a car driven by William Allan Mancell, Lake Cowichan. Police said Mr. Mancell apparently lost control of his vehicle and slid into the parked car. Damage to Mancell's car was estimated at \$1,000.



Jonfel's Fall in Fashion

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Suits, Floor of Fashion

Driver, 19, Killed Instantly When Thrown from Death Car

A car door remained impaled in a utility pole on a gentle curve of Sooke Road Saturday, a grim reminder of an accident that took the life of Wayne Ronald Forbes, 19, of 771 Station.

Wayne died instantly when his car slammed into the pole at about 12:10 a.m. Saturday.

His car — he was the sole occupant — was sliced in half by the impact. The top of the pole snapped and Wayne was found lying

Car Rides Ditch, Slams Pole

near it, about 35 feet away from the base of the pole with the left front door of the car embedded deeply in it.

Efforts to drag the door clear have been unsuccessful and it will probably go when the wooden pole is replaced. Colwood RCMP officers said the car, headed east toward Victoria, travelled 125 feet in a ditch before hitting the pole. The front of the car was

relatively undamaged. The rear was a mangled mess. Still in the car were the youth's shoes.

No one saw the crash, but neighbors heard it and called RCMP.

It was the 13th fatal road accident in the Greater Victoria area this year. Wayne lived with his par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. David Forbes. He is survived by his parents, three brothers David of 2885 Leigh, Len and Ian in Winnipeg; and sisters Mary, at home, and Mrs. Ruby Cochrane of 3765 Duke.

He was born in Winnipeg, and moved here with his parents three years ago. Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Tuesday in Sands' chapel at Colwood, with Elder Kenneth W. Seargeant officiating.

Coroner Edmond Jorre de St. Jorre said a post-mortem was held Saturday and that a decision on whether to hold an inquest or an inquiry will be made next week.



Forbes



Door imbedded in pole

Harmac Battle: Week-Long Lull

HARMAC—Legal action to block suspension of 80 employees at the Harmac pulp mill of MacMillan Bloedel Ltd. near Nanaimo for refusing to join the Pulp and Paper Workers of Canada was adjourned Friday until next Thursday.

Company lawyer Boyd Ferris told Mr. Justice Peter Seaton in B.C. Supreme Court that no action will be taken during the adjournment.

The men are members of the International Brotherhood of Pulp, Sulphite and Paper Mill Workers, which was formerly certified at the Harmac mill.

New Park Opens Monday



Bridge pylon climbs



Workmen build span in sky

COWICHAN STATION — The \$3,000 project of the South Cowichan Centennial Committee, Bright Angel Park, will be officially opened Monday at 6 p.m., following a salmon barbecue sponsored by the Cowichan Indian Band.

Centennial Committee Chairman, Howard Bowden said "A highlight of the opening will be a concert by a 65-piece high school band from Tillamook, Ore."

Members of the Duncan Teen-town will serve refreshments during the opening.

The 28-acre park is located below Cowichan Station on Twigg Road, off Fairbridge Road, and about six miles south of Duncan.

Present development of the park includes the installation of 35 picnic tables, a change house incorporating six units and wash basins, a parking lot, gravel roads and an 185-foot suspension bridge across the Koksilah River.

Mr. Bowden said future developments will include the re-establishment of old logging roads through the park, clearing for camping sites and additional parking space, and construction of a ball diamond.

When the project is completed, the property will be turned over to the South Cowichan parks committee by the centennial committee.

During the dedication ceremony a six-foot cairn and inscribed plaque will be unveiled by Mrs. Jack Fleetwood, whose husband named the park and donated five of the 28 acres.

Henry Dosh donated one acre to complete the park area on one side of the river, and the 22 acres on the other side of the river were donated by the Highways Department.

Indian Teacher Now Rewarded

CAMPBELL RIVER — The Indian Affairs department has teamed up to further the education of a 18-year-old Indian girl who out the padlock off a school door to keep classes going in her community.

Clara Wilson, a member of the Homalco band at Church House, 22 miles north of here, will complete her Grade 12 studies at Vancouver City College.

She was awarded a \$250 bursary by the Weston Foundation and the rest of her expenses will be paid by the Indian Affairs department.

Miss Wilson taught children for three weeks when the regular teacher failed to show up after Christmas vacation last year. When a new teacher arrived, Clara continued teaching lower grades.

She plans to go on to teacher-training at university.

RCN Pays Visit

NANAIMO—Four RCN warships, including the sleek destroyer-escort HMCS McKenna arrived Monday for a four-day visit connected with the centennial celebrations.

The other vessels are the minesweeper HMCS Cowichan which was recently brought out of mothballs and refitted, and the gun-boat HMCS Fort Quebec and Fort De La Reine.



'Please Do Not Feed the Gobblers'

In theory, garbage gobblers along Island Highway are effective in getting motorists not to litter roadsides. However, when garbage is not collected, gobblers become ugly monsters. Here, young Ruth

Flett of Nanaimo feeds hungry gobbler in Nanos Bay whose eyes and mouth are bigger than his stomach.—(Agnes Flett)

'Kiss of Life' Saves Five

By RUTH McKEILLAR

COURTENAY — Five people are alive today because of the prompt action and knowledge of one man, Al Harvie, holder of the bronze medallion and bar, and a letter of commendation from the Royal Canadian Humane Association.

He is one of two people in Canada to hold these distinctions.

Recently retired from the RCAF after 15 years service as a medic, Mr. Harvie previously served in the merchant navy for 12 years. During that time he was

torpedoed in the Atlantic six times.

In one incident, only seven survived enemy action. Five of those later died in the lifeboat after 32 tortuous days at sea.

Several of his family of eight children have followed in his footsteps; his oldest son is in the RCAF as a medic and his oldest girl who was also in the service, is now married to a medic in the RCAF.

The first medal was presented to Mr. Harvie in 1956 when he rescued a mother and son from drowning in

Pine Lake, near Red Deer, Alta.

The boy had become caught in reeds in the lake and was unconscious when pulled from the water.

Mr. Harvie applied mouth-to-mouth resuscitation for half an hour. Both mother and son recovered and returned to their home in the U.S.

In September, 1961, he again saved two lives when a man and woman were struggling at Grand Bend, near London, Ont., the girl caught in a rip tide, the man in difficulty after he jumped in to save her.

Mr. Harvie again applied mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. His letter of commendation

was for saving an elderly man from choking. The man had narrowly missed a serious car crash and had swallowed his tongue.

He was turning blue when Mr. Harvie came upon the scene.

Mr. Harvie, who comes to Courtenay from Clinton, Ont., is the new area representative for Canadian Moving and Storage Ltd.

He is a keen golfer and just before leaving, managed to score a hole in one.

At present he is living in a motel but expects to find a house soon and settle down to life in the Okanagan Valley.



Simon Streetfield's baton hand moves faster than the camera lens can catch

But Brass Section Beats Machines

Students Face Loud Music

Stories and photo
By AGNES FLETT

COURTENAY—About 50 young musicians at the first summer music camp to be held in B.C. are having to compete with carpenters' hammering and roadworkers' loud machines.

The camp is being held at beautiful Puntledge Park Elementary School on the outskirts of Courtenay, where the two-week camp was advertised as "music instruction in a quiet and relaxed setting."

However the loud brass instruments seem to outdo

any of the harsh sounds from workmen's machines.

Director of the camp, which is providing orchestral training for music students from throughout the province, is Vancouver Symphony's Simon Streetfield, formerly of London, England.

The school has had the desks moved out from some classrooms and mattresses moved in.

They were loaned from the Courtenay Hospital.

The cafeteria provides meals for the students, who seem to want to practise all the time, either in the gymnasium, in classrooms, or after wandering off to a quiet spot nearby.

Although there is a wide opportunity for recreation,

such as hikes, barbecues and swimming, most of the students seem to prefer starting early in the day with their instruments.

Early risers have upset some who would rather sleep in "What idiot was playing the violin at 6 a.m.?" was found scrawled on a window.

On this visit, I found Simon Streetfield conducting wind instrument classes indoors and outdoors, and Norman Nelson conducting a string quartet outside in the shade.

The brass section always plays outdoors — they make the most noise. Sorry, music. The camp looks like being quite successful and it will probably be held again next year.

Son Reaps Benefits

Dad Tames Dogfish

"But Dad, the swimming contest was yesterday, it's a fishing only contest today." So might have said 11-year-old Tommy Pringle, 2900 Washington, Friday afternoon as his father thrashed about up to his armpits in water wrestling the boy's prize catch.

The occasion was the annual Junior Fishing Derby at Dallas Road Breakwater where Tommy came out on

top of 600 youngsters with his 10-pound, eight-ounce dogfish.

But the dogfish almost came out on top of Tommy's father, Ron.

The boy's line got tangled around the big fella and Mr. Pringle jumped to his son's assistance.

The fish put up a goodly

fight but was at last subdued, and his size earned Tommy a spanking new bike as first prize.

For Tommy, it was a lucky day all around: he and his father had only arrived at the breakwater 10 minutes before the competition closed!

The fishing derby was sponsored by Eaton's and organized in conjunction with

the Greater Victoria summer playground program.

Second prize, a complete swim set, including snorkel, mask and fins, was won by Brian Siddal, of 2815 Lansdowne, with a two-pound, five-ounce ling cod.

Robert Ouelton, of 2108 Allenby, took third prize, a transistor radio, with a two-pound, four-ounce bass.



Tommy with his fish and prize

'Six Mile' Area Scorched

Fire Stops Supper Sippers

A flash fire which temporarily evacuated a beer parlor and caused a few anxious moments to some householders and businesses was brought under control by View Royal and Colwood fire departments in an hour Friday evening.

The fire erupted on a rocky hillside behind the Six Mile Cafe near Parson's Bridge on the Old Island Highway shortly after 6

p.m. and skinned quickly over the hillside. Patrons from the Six Mile House deserted the premises momentarily, but their thirst got the better of them.

Colwood received the call mistakenly from fire control, but it was a View Royal fire and Fire Chief Albert Beasley said the fire was extinguished at 7:35 p.m. Colwood attended with two pumps.

"We will have to watch it, however," Chief Beasley said.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Farquhar, on Atkins, a road that runs along the hilltop, started to evacuate their furniture with the aid of neighbors.

"The fire was 40 feet or so from the house," said Mrs. Farquhar. "Dry grass and hay and one tree shot into flames."

Mrs. Ada Woods, proprietress of the Quindalla Kennels on Atkins had a scare, too, compounded by the anxiety of the animals; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Woods had a few anxious moments as the fire raced to within 10 feet of their commercial greenhouse.

"We will never know what caused it," Chief Beasley said of the short-lived blaze.

By Police

Doctor Given Raise

Pending a general reassessment of medical-legal fees by the provincial government, the fees for Dr. E. L. McNiven, police physician, were increased Friday by the police commission.

Until recently, said Chief J. F. Gregory, Dr. McNiven had been receiving \$10 a call for attendance at the police station for sobriety tests and other duties and \$10 per case for appearances in court.

Upon receipt of a letter from Dr. McNiven he increased the stipend to \$15 a call for attendance at the station and \$25 for each case in court.

The action was ratified by the police commission although it was pointed out that when a case went beyond the jurisdiction of the central court and to the assizes or elsewhere under the jurisdiction of the province, expert witnesses were paid only \$7 an appearance.

Promoted to first class constable were Frederick N. Board, Michael J. Poulton, Robert C. Madison and Donald E. Milton.

A letter of appreciation was received from the administrator of Queen Alexandra Solarium for a cheque for \$900 which resulted from a circus performance sponsored by the Police Mutual Benefit Association.

Estate Case Pauses

After sifting nine days, the arbitration hearing over expropriation of the McRae estate Friday adjourned for a week.

The municipality of Saanich will start its case when the hearing resumes at 9:30 a.m. next Friday.

All of the evidence so far has been on behalf of the McRae family, whose property Saanich has expropriated for recreational use.

The board is arbitrating the price.

Estimates of the length of Saanich's case vary from five to 10 days. After that, both sides will have opportunities to sum up their arguments.

Began Water Skiing at 7

Pert Miss Takes Canadian Crowns

A 17-year-old Manitoba miss who has been water skiing since she was seven won the girls' overall Canadian championship Friday at Elk Lake.

Pert Patsy Muirhead of Winnipeg won the slalom event in the morning over wind-ruffled waters that hampered skiing, then came through in a second-place finish in both tricks and jumping later in the day.

FIRST PLACE

Rudy Tuschek of Vancouver placed first in the senior men's jumping, but he was nosed out in both tricks and slalom by Bob McGee of the Ontario team in the five-province meet. The judges select the over-all champion based on performance in all three events.

Miss Muirhead, whose wins in the slalom and overall events were her third and fourth Canadian championships, is a member of the Canadian team. Her brother, Brian, 22, is also a member of the team, and is in Sherbrooke, Que., practicing for the world championships, which will be held there next month.

TEAM OJACE

Cliff Ward of Quebec, coach of the Canadian team, said the 12 members of the team will be cut down to four men and two women for the world event.

Beside Miss Muirhead, coach Ward has defending Canadian champion Jean Perrault, who will be competing today. Other team members competing here are Valia Hogan of Quebec, Jean Rodrigue of Quebec and 15-year-old George Athans of Kelowna, whose father, Dr. George Athans, is a former Olympic and British Empire Games diver.

Today's events start at 8 a.m. with the men's slalom eliminations. The boys' slalom and eliminations in the men's tricks, women's jumping and men's jumping take up the rest of the day, with a break at noon for the official opening ceremonies and a ski show.

TOUGH GOING

Sunday's events are all finals, with the trophy presentation winding up the meet.

The skiers found the going tough in the morning, but conditions improved for the afternoon as the breeze slowed down and the outlook for the rest of the meet is good.

Here are the results of the first day's events:

Girls' slalom — Muirhead, Man.; Ann Donohue, Que.; Debby Rebke, Man.
Men's slalom — McGee, Ont.; Tuschek, B.C.; Wally Geibelhaus, B.C.
Senior men's tricks — Mc-

Gee; Tuschek; Gaston Bodin, Que.

Women's tricks — Hogan, Man.; Carol McMillan, Alta.
Women's slalom — Hogan; Janet Lecky, B.C.; McMillan; Girls' tricks — Donohue;

Muirhead; Helene Gregoire, Que.

Girls' jumping — Gregoire; Muirhead; Donohue.
Senior men's jumping — Tuschek; McGee; Ernie Griffiths, B.C.



Cam Dixon of Victoria club takes to air on a kite



Skater Price and Coun. Kier

Price of Fame —He's Jobless

A coroner's inquiry Thursday ruled that Wayne Charles Robinson, 31, of 4815 Tarnave Road whose body was found near Albert Head Light House Tuesday died an accidental death by drowning.

Mass was celebrated Friday in Our Lady of the Rosary Church at Langford. Followed by burial in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Accidental Death Ruled

Christopher Robin Price, the cross-Canada roller skater, Friday complained about his aching feet.

However, it was not the 3,738-mile, 88-day journey that was starting to take its toll. It was the streets of Victoria, which he has been pounding looking for a job.

Price, 21, of 2855 Quadra, went from Victoria to Expto this spring on only one pair of roller skates, which stood up better than his feet are now.

"I've filled out dozens of applications but I don't seem to get anywhere," he said. "I've just been wearing my feet out."

On Friday, he received a bronze medal from Saanich Caim Digby Kier, on behalf of the Greater Victoria Centennial Society, to commemorate his adventure.

If he finds a job—he has been trained as a cook—he'll be saving his money for a trip to Europe in a year or two.

That will also be a skatathon, starting in France and going across the continent.

For Saanich

Tree Park Kept

Saanich is being given a 3½-acre park that contains some of the most interesting and idyllic trees on southern Vancouver Island.

Broadmead Farms Ltd., developers of a 71½-acre, Uplands-style subdivision, is asking the municipality to dedicate the grove for perpetuity as a park.

BIG ONES
Some of the fir, balsam and maple on the patch, which is bisected by footpaths, are three and four feet in diameter.

"There are some very fine trees on it and making this a park will be appreciated forever by the people of Saanich," said acting reeve Leslie Passmore.

PARK NETWORK

Gordon Rolston, manager of Broadmead, said the site will be part of a network of parks in the development, which has a potential of approximately 1,200 homes.

There will be a total of about 100 acres of parkland on the property, which is south of Royal Oak Avenue.

Mr. Rolston said the developers were reluctant to turn the 3½ acres over to homeites because some of the trees are old and could fall down.

SEVERAL BUILT

He feared that a large tree falling near a home could create a "scare" and, although there is a tree-cutting covenant in the titles, residents could be moved to unnecessary tree removal.

Mr. Rolston said several homes already have been built on Broadmead, which is the old Ribbet estate, but construction is expected to accelerate now that planning problems, such as road accesses have been settled.

Girl Bruised Hit by Car

Barbara Chojnacki, 11, of 2335 Forbes Street, was hit by a car while running between parked cars at Cook and Empress Thursday. She was treated for bruises to her thigh and right ankle at Royal Jubilee Hospital and released.

LUNDS ESTATE AUCTION

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Treasures Vanish With Cork Pull

Visions of Capt. Kidd, Long John Silver, and pirate treasure flashed in the hands of two Victoria youngsters playing on Clover Point beach Friday afternoon.

A whisky bottle containing a note washed up on the beach and was eagerly pounced on by 11-year-old Cynthia Cramer of 58 Howe, and her friend, Kenneth Mallory, 8, of 52 Howe.

Cynthia's mother said the children had thoughts of treasure maps and pieces of eight, but discovered the note was from nine-year-old Bobby Wark of Morton, Wash., who asked the finder of the bottle write and tell him where and when the bottle washed up.

The boy had failed to date the note making it impossible

to determine how long the bottle was in the water.

Mrs. Cramer said Cynthia has written to the Washington youngster telling him of the bottle's final destination and is also anxious to find out how long the bottle took to reach the Victoria shore.



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Summer low tides offer opportunity for inter-tidal zone beach explorations.

—Dane Campbell photo.

Eighty years ago this summer, the Canadian Pacific Railway was bringing the first hordes of tourists to Victoria. The tourist industry, ever since, has been an important part of the life of this community.

Victoria's Tourist Industry Started 80 Years Ago

It was an exciting summer in Victoria, that of 1887, what with so many visitors, all raving about the beauty of Victoria and forecasting that it would become famous as a place to rest tired nerves, away from the bustle and roar of life in big places.

There was a note of sadness, too, that summer, because word reached Victoria that Archbishop Charles Seghers, the Roman Catholic Bishop of Victoria, had been murdered in Alaska some months before.

The Colonist, editorially, set the tone of mourning: "A grand old man (he was 39) has gone to his eternal reward — Archbishop Seghers, the beloved of his people, of all the people of Vancouver Island —."

"With true apostolic fervor, and a burning desire to serve the cause of the Master, he took his life in his hand, and went out to the farthest limits of 'the land of the midnight sun' to Christianize the heathen, and to teach them the knowledge of Him to whom life was consecrated."

"There is lamentation among his flock for the loss of one who was ever to them 'a guide, counselor and friend.'"

"There is a dark shadow of regret hanging over our fair city for the untimely end of one who was a good citizen, a tolerant Christian and an affable, kindly gentleman."

"Every face seen on our streets was clouded when the sad news was heard, and many and fervent were the eulogiums passed on the dead prelate."

"Ah, well, if we could only have been present as he lay dying in that terrible land, we should have seen upon his face a bright shadow of that celestial joy which was soon to wrap him about as with a mantle."

"There should be no sorrow, nor sadness, nor grief over such a death as this. Like the early martyrs he fought the good fight. We may well believe he fought the pangs of agony with Christian fortitude, and then as the last glimpse of the cold earth left his vision, he stood bathed in the sunlight of God's love, glorifying forever and ever Him whose Benediction had cast a halo over the days of his earthly life."

But life had to go on, and a few days later crowds went down to Esquimalt to see the new Federal government graving dock opened. It was quite an event — accomplished at last, after years of talk, and promises from the top people of Ottawa. That graving dock was a political football for years; all politicians, running here for office, promised it would be built — but it took years.

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Sunday, July 26, 1967

Flags flew and bands played as HMS Cormorant became the first ship to enter the new drydock, which is still being used at Esquimalt by the navy.

The Colonist noted that just as Cormorant reached the dock, "the band of HMS Triumph struck up a lively air, the whistles of the various engines and the tugs of the contractors shrieked a welcome and the crowd sent up an enthusiastic cheer, and the Union Jack was run up."

"Tied across the inner face of the dock entrance was a band of wide blue ribbon — the vessel, passing in, parted this, and the ribbon was secured and cut into souvenirs of the historic, long-awaited event."

"In a few moments Cormorant was in her position in the dock — the ponderous pumping engines were started in motion by the gentle hands of Mrs. Joseph Trutch and Miss Davey. Mr. Speaker Charles E. Pooley proposed the health of the contractors, in his happy style referring to the fact they had come amongst us as strangers, and had won the confidence and respect of the business and general community."

One of the important tourists of 1887 was Thomas P. Fowler of New York, president of the New York, Ontario and Western Railway. He arrived, with his wife and two children and his brother Abraham in the steamer Olympian from Alaska.

Victoria, though happy with all the visitors the new CPR was bringing, was nervous about Vancouver, and just a bit envious. Would Vancouver eventually eclipse Victoria?

The Colonist sent a reporter to see Mr. Fowler, who asked: "What is your opinion of Victoria?"

Mr. Fowler replied: "Well, I think it is one of the loveliest places

I ever had the pleasure of seeing. Everything seems to be on a substantial basis. Your people are of a kindly, hospitable nature. True, they are a little conservative, but that is more an advantage than a fault."

Then, tremulously, hoping against hope, I daresay, the reporter asked: "Do you think that Vancouver will ever be a large city?"

Mr. Fowler, knowing local sensitivity, was cautious as he answered: "Yes, rather, but Victoria will always have the advantage. In the first place, it has the start, and people will always come here to stay, at least for a few days. One thing I have noticed, too, is that Victoria is financially sound, and with the capital to back it, it will surely go on increasing in size and prominence. The drives about are excellent and everywhere one goes prosperity, and contentment are to be observed."

Mr. Fowler being a railroad man, called on leading citizen Robert Dunsmuir, who had just completed the Esquimalt and Nanaimo. Mr.

and sweetness, was performed by Rev. Percival Jenna, who made the twain one flesh.

"Some very elegant costumes were noticed — the bride was dressed in ivory white satin, court train, satin petticoat, with Angola point lace, tulle veil and orange blossoms. Miss Nellie Withrow wore cream satin with Valenciennes overdress, and Miss Gertrude Withrow was in pink satin with white striped mull overdress."

"Mrs. C. A. Lombard presided in her own excellent way at the organ, and amid the strains of a wedding march and the mad, merry pealing of the church bells, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis reached their carriage in waiting and drove to the residence of the bride's parents on Pandora Avenue for the reception."

An American tourist who attracted much attention here in the summer of 1887 was Senator John Sherman of Ohio, brother of Gen. W. T. Sherman, "whose famous 'march to the sea' was one of the most noticeable episodes in the American revolution."

The Colonist interviewed him and was much impressed, in these words: "In appearance he portrays the fact that he is a leader and a man of remarkable force of character, combined with extraordinary talent. He is tall and slim, erect and manly in his mien, and his features are partially obscured by a short beard, while his keen eye betrays the fact that he is 64 years of age."

"There is something in the sincerity of the man that reminds one of Lincoln, and in many instances he is like the statesmen of the old school, whose forceful characteristics are stamped indelibly in the annals of American history. He evermore shows himself a man of the people and he is courteous and interested in all, for to be courteous, he has only to be natural."

Senator Sherman was taken on carriage drives, and American citizens entertained him to dinner.

Just before he sailed away, a reporter asked him what he thought of Victoria, and, of course, he said it was beautiful and he would come again.

Then he sounded what many Victorians deemed to be a sour note. He said: "Your citizens appear as American as we are, and it seems farcical that a boundary line should divide kindred peoples occupying the same continent."

For shame, said some Victorians — Senator Sherman and his manifest destiny. He should not have talked that way when in one of Queen Victoria's domains. And, they would have the senator know, that while they may appear as Americans, that was on the surface only — deep

Dunsmuir, also, had just had a new honor heaped upon him — he was made president of the Executive Council.

The Colonist paid tribute to him: "Mr. Dunsmuir is held in deservedly high esteem in this province, and as a public spirited, generous and courteous citizen he has no equal."

"He will bring to the deliberations of the provincial cabinet sound judgment, stern honesty of purpose and consummate tact."

"The Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir, whose name is beyond that of any other resident of the province identified with the progress of British Columbia will, we trust, be long spared to adorn the high position which he is destined to so worthily fill."

There was a fashionable wedding that summer of 1887, between W. H. Ellis, general manager of The Colonist, and Miss A. L. Withrow, "who is known in this city as an estimable young lady, as well as an artist of great merit."

The wedding was at St. John's Church, where the "bride appeared leaning on the arm of Dr. McSwain, attended as bridesmaids by her sisters, the Misses Withrow. They were met at the Chancel by the groom and his groomsmen, Mr. E. V. Bodwell, barrister, and the marriage ceremony of the Episcopal church, beautiful in its simplicity

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"There is something in the
severity of the man that reminds
one of Lincoln, and in many instances
is like the staccato of the old
man, whose hereditary characteristics
are stamped indelibly in the annals
of American history. He evermore
resents himself a man of the people
and he is courteous and interested
all, far to be courteous, he has
to be natural."

Senator Sherman was taken on
stage drives, and American citi-
zens entertained him to dinner.

Just before he sailed away, a
reporter asked him what he thought
of Victoria, and, of course, he said it
was beautiful and he would come
back.

Then he sounded what many
Victorians deemed to be a sour note.
He said: "Your citizens appear as
American as we are, and it seems
ideal that a boundary line should
divide kindred peoples occupying the
same continent."

For shame, said some Victorians
Senator Sherman and his men-
tal destiny. He should not have
said that way when in one of Queen
Victoria's domains. And, they would
like the senator know, that while
they may appear as Americans, that
on the surface only — deep

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INDIAN CHIEF



EAGLES WATCH OVER YOUNG



HUSKY HOWLS TO SOLITUDE

MUSEUM OF THE NORTH

By GEORGE ERSKINE INGLIS

*West, then north along the curl-
ing ribbon of blacktop, the adven-
turous traveller rolls from Edmon-
ton, Alberta, towards the golden
point at the end of the frontier
Mackenzie Highway—Yellowknife,
in the Northwest Territories.*

*Some 900 miles later, after a
halfway change from smooth
blacktop to spattering gravel, many
forests, swamps and sloughs,
myriads of mosquitoes and as-
sorted flying bugs, clouds of dust
and sharp, rocky outcrops, he en-
ters the Land of the Yellowknives,
a now subdued but earlier fero-
cious tribe of Indians whose pleas-
ure was to slaughter Eskimos with
their sharp knives hammered from
the surface copper deposits lying
north of the Yellowknife River.*

Today, these two representatives of Canada's
earliest civilizations now walk and talk in peace.
Nowhere in the north is this development so
clearly pictured as in the new capital of the
Northwest Territories. Eskimo and Indian arti-
facts share pride of place in the showcases of
Yellowknife's Museum of the North. In a
communal effort, Indian and Eskimo youth
labored with white students to build the museum
which displays their history, civilizations and
cultures.

Images of cruel adventures and gruesome
tragedy meet the visitor's eyes as he progresses
through Canada's most northerly museum,
absorbing a capsaed panorama of Canada's early
Arctic history.

The Museum of the North is a child in the
family of Canadian museums. It was born in 1958
as one small showcase centred in the Yellowknife
Town Hall. In 1960, with help from Canada's
Department of Northern Affairs and National
Resources, the Canadian Handicraft Guild and
public subscription, ground was broken, the new
building rose, bordering the main stem of the
settlement, Franklin Road, named after the early
Arctic explorer, Sir John Franklin.

It is axiomatic in the modern history of

museums that they be located where people can
easily reach them.

The construction of the museum building was
undertaken by the Akaitcho Hall vocational
students of the Sir John Franklin School of
Yellowknife. The students came from Tukto-
yaktuk, east to Gjoa Haven and King William
Land, from Aklavik south through Arctic Red
River and Fort Good Hope to the boundary
settlement of Fort Smith and the Great Slave
Lake shoreline from Snowdrift to Forts Rae and
Resolution.

The students worked under the guidance of
the school vocational supervisors. This repre-
sentative co-operative effort, a model of integration,
became the Museum of the North.

In the early days of museums, in older
countries than Canada, imposing old castles or
historical buildings were used to store and dis-
play objects of historical and artistic interest.
Often, these places were poorly lighted, and the
stairways made walking a tiring effort.

Not so, in Yellowknife's modern museum.

Local bulldozers driven by native catkinners,
gouged the permafrost to form the basement. The
students nailed boards on studding and rafters to
finish the new building and make it a completely
modern project.

The original suggestion to start a northern
museum was conceived at a Yellowknife Home
and School meeting in 1952.

The decision to build the Museum of the
North was hastened by the knowledge that many
items of historical interest were persistently
being removed each year from the vast, un-
guarded areas of Canada's Arctic lands, by a tran-
sient population, part-time explorers, travellers,
writers, workers on the DEW Line sites, to whom
no cairn, monument or relic was sacred. Visible
history was disappearing from the north.

Today, this situation is changed. It is now an
effort to move historical objects out of the
country.

The New Museum was opened in 1963.
Assistance in funds and exhibits arrived from
diverse points through the width and breadth of
Canada. Donations came from the national
branch of the Canadian Handicraft Guild. The
government of Canada made a Territorial grant.
Canada's Territorial Council contributed towards
the cost of the new building.

Inaugural exhibit loans came from Calgary's
Glenbow Foundation, the R.C.M. Police in Ottawa
and the Hudson's Bay Company in Winnipeg. The
names of the latter two, by their pioneer actions
and early activities in the Land of Snow, shine
high and bright in the historic annals of Canada's
Arctic.

The Museum of the North was off to a sturdy
start.

By word of mouth, by radio, by voice of
trapper and made-aware traveller, the birth and
development of the museum was made known
throughout the Far North. Mrs. Didi Woolgar,
fascinating personality of the north, cultured
artist and one of the early stalwarts of the
museum project, together with President Bert
Boxer, Sir John Franklin Hostel superintendent,

were astounded by the growth of interest and
number of artifacts arriving.

Today, a tour of the museum's room provides
a close-up of northern history from the earliest
days of Arctic exploration. One sees items from
the grim arctic journeys of Samule Hearne,
beginning in 1769; clues to the tragedy of Sir John
Franklin who disappeared with his complete
company of men after discovering the North West
Passage with the little ships Erebus and Terror in
1845; weapons and trade goods used in the
opening of the northern treasure house by
trapper, trader and the ubiquitous "canoe-de-
maitre" of the voyageur, forerunner of the steel
tugs and barges which now carry the commerce
of the Mackenzie River.

On a raised platform, stands the narrow-tired
1914 Model "T" "flivver" with the buggy-type box
at the rear in which early trader George Pinsky
hauled his trade goods from the river scows at
roadless Fort Resolution. Draped over it, hangs a
sun-cured, long-haired musk-ox hide, mute
evidence in a long-forgotten charge of illegal
hunting in the Barrier Lands.

Guarded from probing fingers by a strong
barrier of caribou thongs sits an original Indian
birch bark canoe. Made by the Fort Rae Indians,
it is a thing of beauty, whose gossamer-thin sides
belie its strength, once water borne. Other items
clearly testify to the ingenuity of these early
tribes in utilizing all natural things available. In
the creation of the canoe, native spruce gum was
used for caulking seams; thin, tenuous spruce
roofs bound the bark in place over frame and ribs
formed by steaming birch stems.

Across the canoe thwarts lay a native spear,
bone-tipped, fragile in appearance, but devastat-
ing when used for killing swimming caribou.

A corner is devoted to the photography
artistry of Henry Busse, world-renowned photog-
rapher whose studies of northern life have won
prizes and acclaim at exhibitions from New York
to Brussels.

Henry, German born and a non-Canadian
citizen at the outbreak of the Second World War,
was allowed to work as a pipe-fitter's assistant at
the Port Radium Uranium Mine on the shores of
Great Bear Lake. He joined the photography club
there and, in time became the north's finest
photographer of nature and native life in the
Arctic.

Busse was killed in a plane crash in 1963
while on a picture shooting trip to the Nahanni
Mountains. His irreplaceable collection of more
than 11,000 negatives was donated to the Museum
of the North by his daughter, Mrs. Elfrieda
Hanselman.

A scene of a herd of stampeding buffalo,
charging over the snowy wastes away from the
roar of a low-flying aircraft, is completely
unforgettable. His studies of a howling wolf, a
trapped white fox, a curious raven, the wrinkled
head of an ancient tribesman gazing at the

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By FRANCIS DICKIE

The summer on the northern British Columbia coast had been long, hot, dry. However, in building a home in the wilderness on Quadra Island, I had been too occupied to enjoy the weather: digging ditch, laying pipe, handling lumber, stone and other tolling, I had moved divided between work and sleep.

At last, on this August day as a reward for house completed, I sat in a battered extension steamer chair on the shore in the lee of a low cliff reading Frank Harris' *Contemporary Portraits*.

A booming roar out of the west aroused me. May I never hear such again. I ran up the steep side of the nearest moss-covered ridge and looked toward the fast approaching sound.

I saw miles of higher rising heavily timbered rocky slopes aflame with a forest fire, afterwards set down in the annals of the forestry department for the rapidity and wideness of its destruction.

Along the five-mile front swept a wall of flame and rusty colored smoke. Fast it moved: momentarily wending mingling with the green ranks of the fir on its devastating way on transformation. In front of the main fire of writhing, leaping red, flew an advance guard of horror and dissolution: flaming twigs, huge cinders, bits of branches become streamers of flame to ignite far ahead the crowns of the trees, and mossy benches, and dead old snags dry as paper. A light north wind was increasing. And there was the awful suction of fire creating a hurricane of its own, speeding faster this inexorable desolation.

Even with all my possessions in its path, I was held there awed and fascinated by this vision of earthy hell fire destroying in a minute what had required a thousand years to grow. From the tops of the flaming timber vast sulphurous clouds rolled "mushrooming" to the ceiling of the sky becoming strangely white against the clearest of blue. The sun was a blurred red disk. Incredible though it may seem, despite that searing, roaring destruction, there was immediately around me an uncanny hush, while over moss, rock, trees — the very sea — lay an other-worldly bluish grey light, as though brimstone vapors from witches' caldrons were thinly diffused.

In this dread light the evergreens seemingly turned pale as though aware of their inescapable dissolution.

Beyond the further high and jutting ridges, the foot-thick moss was a running line of flame; the willow, spirea, and second growth evergreens were momentarily tatches twisted into nothingness. In the deeper wood the flames raced up the



IN MATTER OF MINUTES forest fire wiped out this nearby logging camp.

FOREST FIRE BOOK CHOICE

trunks of firs half a thousand and more years old, turning the thick bark black and bubbly like burning cork, yet, except where there was a pitchy spot, the fire was denied a firm hold on these huge pillars often 50 feet from the ground without a single branch. Yet the higher flames from the burning crowns in the ranks of high trees behind struck the myriads of resinous needles, dry and brittle. Simultaneously, upon the 150 feet and more of the upper tops, the needles turned from green to red, and, momentarily, all stood out vividly like an arabesque of millions of tiny wires into which suddenly shot a tremendous voltage of electricity.

Ahead of the fire deer bounded at speeds varying according to how far they had run. Here and there one wearied or stupefied with the heat, or perhaps in despair (for it is claimed by some naturalists animals do commit suicide) turned about and ran back into the flame. Hundreds of grouse and smaller birds, well started ahead of

the fire, flew low above me making for a tiny sugar-loaf rocky island a hundred yards out to sea beyond the end of the peninsula on my island where I had reared my buildings. Here and there squirrels scolded, something uncomprehendingly apprehensive in their defiance until they were shrivelled.

On the shore was my just completed home evidently quickly to be an ashy memory. Some few things might be saved by speedy action.

With hot-mouthed ruin nearing, I ran to the house. The wind-lashed sea with plunge and shock of dissolving breakers on the sharply sloping beach answered in slightly lower key the bellow of the burning forest.

In front of the house, were our rowboat and out 29-foot halibut dory, both with their painters tied to a running line reaching from the shore to a buoy moored 150 feet out to sea. The line, going through pulleys, enabled one to pull a boat in when needed. Into the rowboat we put our three cats and two airdales on leash. While my wife ran back to the house to gather as many portable things as possible to throw into the halibut dory I ran to the library.

People have often heard: "If you were to be marooned on a desert island what books would you take?" The number of books has been variously set at from one to a hundred. Now I faced making instant choice of an armful of books out of two thousand. Even this selection I would not have made 10 years later. Here is the selection.

Of Human Bondage, by Somerset Maugham, which I considered the greatest novel ever written in any language.

The Way of All Flesh, by Samuel Butler. A cheap edition this of mine, yet chosen to be saved when expensive *Casanova* standing near was left behind, and many another volumes costing 50 times this work. For it is not binding nor price one pays for a book which counts in such moments as this.

Aphrodite, by Pierre Louys. This at least a gorgeous volume, red crusted levant, authorized Carrington English translation by an unnamed translator; yet, of a surety, a man of genius. Carrington was great on getting men of fine talent for such work. The volume was illustrated by Zier, and I had paid \$13 for it, when I should have put the money into a payment on a suit of clothes. I did not save it for its value in dollars, because it is to me a volume hauntingly beautiful, profoundly sad in its contents. I know of few passages in all literature that create a more



GROUND FIRE WAS STOPPED by edge of house by forestry crew with two pumps on rafts.



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BEFORE SEEMINGLY CERTAIN DESTRUCTION by forest fire author took 15 favorite books from his wilderness library.



LOW TIDE PERMITTED landing books and small bookcases after escape from fire.

lasting sense of fathomless sorrow as this book's closing chapter describing the death of Chrysis. It gives a new beauty, a wider understanding to several passages of Hesiod.

Mademoiselle de Maupin, another book priceless for its preface at least. As I took down the volume, ever in this moment of dire stress, I recalled the day I had found it in an old second hand store among cheap novels, Correspondence course volumes, and lessons in machinery.

The next seven volumes in my first-driven choosing were by North American writers.

The first:

Susan Lennox, by David Graham Phillips, the 1920 two-volume edition with some petty, prudish expurgations, not even made in the serialization when it appeared in Hearst's Magazine. To me Susan Lennox towers high among American novels for its bitter and unsparring truth; the magnificently challenging literary gauntlet flung in the face of all the yes-sayers of the present order of society.

Next choice was the Outpost, by Frank Norris. And so it was from the on-coming fire I saved a 35-cent "Nelson" edition, a terribly battered reprint which for 15 years had travelled with me to stranger places. I had tried it out upon the widest variety of readers: a barber, a judge, a professional gambler, an actor and a prostitute. All hailed it.

A Man's World, by Robert Edwards, and God's Man, by George Brownell Howard, were the next two snatched off the shelf. Both are so little known, and now so long out of print it seems needless to dwell upon them.

Then, in this moment of tragic memory was taken upon Sinclair's Love Pilgrimage. At the time I read this book I had vainly I doubt if I could reread it today.

Next selection was The Genius, by Theodore Dreiser, a battered first edition read by me shortly after its publication at a time when I had come under the thrall of the great French Masters. Yet, one can have no better introduction to Dreiser than The Genius.

What next, think you, truly, a book so far removed from those chosen as a book could be.

It was The Story of a Bad Boy, by Thomas Bailey Aldrich; that joyous, tearful, heart-grIPPING veiled auto-biography, a classic of childhood which with me ranks along with Tom Sawyer and Huckleberry Finn. Aldrich's hero remains with me as one of the most human boy characters in all Anglo-Saxon literature.

I now snatched down from some two thousand volumes, The Revolt of the Angels, by Anatole France, and then Old Wives' Tales, by Arnold Bennett. The next choice was Blind Alley, by W. L. George. At the time of reading it deeply moved me as one of the great social documents born of the First World War. I tried it again the other day, and if ever again such choice was forced upon me, it would not be among the works saved.

The final was George Moore's Confessions of a Young Man. It stood on a shelf along with the rest of Moore's more mature works. Doubtless if I had it all to do over again, my choice would be Ave, Solve, Vale.

The remainder, non-fiction, carried to the safety of the waiting boat were Marcus Aurelius,

Long's translation, which seems to me the best; the first volume of Cicerone's My Inner Life; the Hippodamia containing the Book of Good Counsel; Edwin Arnold's translation, a tattered copy of Omar Khayyam. And, lastly, a cheap school edition, selections from Tennyson, containing the poem Ulysses. If that were the only thing Tennyson ever wrote, he would still be to me one of the very great poets.

I went on the run with my armful of books to the dory and rowboat which had been rowed by my wife into a little bight where the sea was calmer. My wife had dragged a washtub loaded with personal treasures to the edge of the sea. I threw the books in the tub. We swung it aboard the dory.

We had just safely anchored the dory when around the point of the island came the steamship Rendezvous of the Columbia Coast Mission engaged in aiding in sickness, times of death, and desperate necessity of the scattered dwellers on this wild coast. More unbelievable, the Rendezvous was towing at top speed a government forestry raft loaded with two high-power fire-pumps driven by a gasoline engine; on the raft high piles of coiled canvas hose.

Up the rock from the motorship's dinghy clambered half a dozen men with two lines of fire hose. In another moment came the Rendezvous' commander, Reverend Alan Greene, and Canon Martin, a visiting church dignitary on holiday from the east, bringing pails and shovels. Thus reinforced I turned with them to fight the fire.

Even while there was yet way upon the raft, the engineer of the government forestry crew had the pump going.

Ignoring the pails and shovels for the time being, the husky clerics and myself assisted the foresters paying out and carrying ahead the heavy lines of hose. The two housemen moved at a slow jog straight for the line of ground flame. One houseman reached the northern edge of the house just in time to send a battering stream upon the flaming grass as it licked the bottom of the shingled wall.

With four of us paying out one hose line, and three the other, the nozzle-men were enabled to move with a surprisingly rapidity in and out among the big trees. With quick shots of water from the enormously high pressure pump they splattered the ground fire and the boles of the trees on the edge of the fire, killing the flames where in several places they were running up the bare trunks to the more dangerous needle-clothed branches above. Such a fight, of course, was only possible because my stand of trees stood well apart, by reason of the creek bed and the bay, from the main front of the fire, in face of which no creature could live within 500 feet. Still, in all truth, this little group of mine in which I now served had plenty to face. Only for the smothering checking power, which these high power pumps had with their never-wavering streams of water would, even these few acres we now defended been saved.

THIS WEEK'S ANAGRAM

(1) RANG	PLUS	RUDE	EQUALS	???
(2) GAVE	"	REEL	"	"
(3) CURE	"	NUMB	"	"
(4) BOAT	"	SLUE	"	"
(5) MAIN	"	CHOP	"	"

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The heat blistered our faces; the smoke choked us, and stung our eyes. Flying cinders caught in our clothing and set them smoldering; sometimes we threw ourselves down into pools of water momentarily left by the hose. That ragged government forestry crew, though they had come dead weary from a nearby fire, were the final word in efficiency. And the clergy? If in future they are as successful in meeting the devil as they did this day his reported favorite element, then great will be the harvest of sinners to their credit in days to come.

Fighting from the last ditch as we were from the very start, this over-tired forestry crew, the well-dressed (at the beginning) clergymen and myself battled through the dying afternoon. Again and again we had to go over stretches apparently won when we saw flame break out from the deep recesses of the moss where it had continued to move beneath the surface. At last the forestry crew were satisfied against recurring outbreaks which would be more than one man could control.

In the gathering dusk of that hectic day, Reverend Greene and I walked to the still smoldering hot top of a nearby ridge, so short a time before a miracle of mossy carpet. As he walked he explained that earlier in the day he had been on his way to hold service at a nearby tiny settlement when he had seen the approaching fire. There was a forestry crew just come from another fire, yet willing and eager to come to our aid, but unable to move owing to their motor launch having broken down. The Mission ship had taken on the tow.

At the top of the ridge we looked at the remains; in the wake of this paroxysm of dissolution. Gone from knoll and ridge and plateau the heavy carpet of moss; gone every shrub and smaller tree; many of the huge firs, cedar, hemlock and spruce, weakened at the roots by deep burns in the thin soil, had fallen, though still sound of trunk, and lay tragic masses of smoking blackness, the fire eating in slowly. All around us, now at rapid intervals, came the thundering detonation as more of the largest trees went down, a sound that continued all through the night, and at longer and longer intervals for days to come as roots and trunks were slowly eaten through by the fire.

More bleakly terrifying were the ranks of stiff standing trunks, averaging from six to 15 feet in circumference. Remains standing, skeletons, every needle and most of their branches, gave lonely black spires toward heaven crying out against the awful carelessness of men directly responsible that such terrible fires ravage our land; those forest fires travel so fast, they maim and blacken and kill, yet leave behind a cemetery of standing timber, gaunt reminders against the sky, a sight far more terrible than had the whole earth's surface been swept completely bare for Nature to begin once again with Her infinite patience the creating of beauty.

"From earthly hell-fire you've surely saved me," I said a bit dramatically, for I was far from being steady, or even quite rational at the moment. "It is a conquest for the Church Militant."

He gazed sadly over the pity of all this spread before us. "And the day is Sunday?"
Something I had completely forgotten in the stress of the moment.

**Story and Pictures
By DONOVAN CLEMSON**

"It's a wonderful sight," the woman at Trout Lake informed me, "don't miss it on my account. My oh my it's really something. You've just got to see the Duncan Dam."

She was quite serious, although as she spoke she stood facing a beautiful snowclad mountain, brilliant against the soft blue background of the June sky. I actually believe she couldn't see this mountain. Being so familiar with the scene it had probably never occurred to her that the view from her door was a scenic gem of the first order. In more settled districts frontage on such a view would be worth \$100 a foot. Trout Lake in June! To me this is real scenery.



TROUT LAKE in the Lardeau country was once a busy mining centre of 3,000 population. Now only a few buildings remain.

**Donovan Clemson's Kootenay Ramble
takes him to . . .**

TROUT LAKE GHOST TOWN and DUNCAN LAKE DAMSITE

The sharp Kootenay peaks crown real mountains with glaciers and snowy towers putting to shame my own low Shuswapian hills. I didn't want to see any dams. I wanted to remain at Trout Lake, drinking it in, the scenery I mean.

What I particularly like about the district is the quiet and peaceful atmosphere, the feeling that nature is repossessing part of her dominions once ravaged — perhaps I should say developed — by industry. The fire hydrants one stumbles over in the underbrush, the mouldering foundations, the decaying buildings, apple trees hemmed in and crowded by young forest growth, these are all comforting reminders that man's untidy activities are frequently only temporary.

It is customary to refer to settlements like Trout Lake as ghost towns, and the Kootenays hide many such places in the narrow, picturesque valleys between the glittering mountain ranges. Mining dominated the country for a period following the discovery of rich silver-lead ores in the 1890s. The district became infested with prospectors, the mountains were riddled with holes, towns sprang up, railroads came into being, steamboats puffed up and down all the lakes. Trout Lake itself acquired a population of 3,000 and nearby Ferguson was a thriving community which today is occupied by only one family and numbers among its few remaining buildings an ancient hotel and a jail.

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**He notes man's untidy activities are frequently only temporary, but he asks:
Is there a more desolate sight than
a drowned lake ringed by skeletons of
partly submerged trees?**

I reached Trout Lake and Ferguson via the Upper Arrow Lakes ferry which now piles traffic using the Revelstoke-Arrowhead road. The ferry runs hourly and sets the motorist down on the Galena Bay side on a quiet country road which snakes away through continual forest brightened with tumbling creeks and green with fern and the delicate fronds of hemlock. It is the kind of road along which you can loiter, enjoying the greenery, picnicking where you will, trying for trout in the creeks, meditating, botanizing, and observing the habits of mosquitoes and other larger forms of wild life. The pressures of civilization are behind you, for, strange as it seems, the tourists in general avoid the Kootenays. Perhaps the water is too cold for swimming. I think so, although several fit women I know declare it is not. But I really believe the

country is too quiet for the average tourist, and beautiful scenery alone is not sufficient to entice him.

The road south from Trout Lake is a delight. Narrow, of course, like most of the old Kootenay roads it traverses a steep mountain-side at a considerable elevation above the lake offering a succession of striking views of the opposite snowy peaks. At the foot of the lake you cross the bridge over the Lardeau River which issues from it, and observe the remains of buildings in varying stages of decay. This was the old town of Gerrard, head of a railway which has disappeared, but at one time connected this place with Lardeau on Kootenay Lake.

In the old mining days communication between Gerrard and Trout Lake City was by steamboat. The present road from Gerrard south occupies the old railway grade and must be one of the longest stretches of level road in British



of 5,000 population. Now



BOW WINDOWS and PANELLED DOOR on a relic of Sander's progress.



STORE IN A GHOST TOWN at Ferguson, B.C.

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Columbia. Continuing, you will pass, probably without knowing it, the dead mining communities of Gold Hill and Poplar Creek, but will be almost certain to stop at a gaping cavern in a roadside cliff, the abandoned marble quarry at Howser.

Judging by the magnificence on the walls of this huge man-made cave everybody stops here. It is not to marvel at the size of the excavation seen out of the living rock at least to leave a record of their visit on its gloomy walls.

But now the prevailing quiet of the Kootenays is rudely shattered. A pall of dust hangs in the air. We are approaching the vicinity of Duncan Dam — bums, houses, machine shops, trailers, trucks, earthmovers, dust, noise — progress. This is the wonderful sight the women at Trout Lake was so excited about.

A road turns off and crosses a bridge over the Lardeau River. It leads to an elevated viewpoint overlooking the dam site. A large parking space has been graded to accommodate the hundreds of cars of the thousands of expected tourists, and our little Volkswagens looked very lonesome sitting all by itself in this broad expanse.

I didn't care for the view. It resembled an overgrown gravel pit with dozens of seemingly toy trucks and earthmovers crawling about over the floor. The dam was beginning to rise. When completed it will back up the Duncan River and raise the level of Duncan Lake about 50 feet.

Duncan Lake is a body of water of unusual beauty set among mountains that retain much snow throughout the year. I remember several visits when these mountains were perfectly mirrored in the clear water. Abandoned homes and fields are sad reminders that more than one family lived their quiet lives in this once isolated and peaceful spot. It is reported that clearing of the shoreline is not planned at Duncan Lake, so the dam will probably ruin it for recreational purposes. Is there a more desolate sight than a drowned lake ringed by the skeletons of partly submerged trees?

A further impact of the dam will be felt by the little settlement of Argenta, a few miles to the south. This small community at the head of Kootenay Lake which includes a number of Quaker families used to be regarded as the ultimate in isolation in this part of the province. The inhabitants seemed proud of this disconnection and erected a sign: "You're entering Argenta — are you lost or crazy?"

It has dropped its significance now with so much activity in the neighborhood, and a new paved road all the way to Kaslo. Solitude is no longer easy to achieve. If, like the Argentans, you

wish to retire from the world and live an idyllic life far from urban bustle the chances are the spot you have selected will be the future site of some dam, power line, pipe line or a mine. Progress will catch up with you.

Other people have found this out, the denizens of Shitty Bench, for instance, whose little world occupies a steep bench above Kootenay Lake on the west side, and was for many years a quiet refuge, peaceful and remote. A sudden and recent invasion of machinery converted their crooked and narrow gravel road into a slick highway and exposed the startled inhabitants to the vulgar stares of hordes of construction men going to and from the Duncan Dam.

Some years ago, when I first penetrated to the pastoral solitudes of Shitty Bench, I encountered a man cutting green oats with a scythe and cradle. I was intrigued. My grandfather used to speak of such things but I had never seen the implement employed. I pressed on, fully expecting to find a party threshing grain with flails at the next homestead, but in this I was disappointed.

Shitty Bench is a bit of a phenomenon in this part of the Kootenays, being a fairly large acreage of good agricultural soil. It is steep and rolling and is high above the lake which opens a wide and distant prospect to the south. The homes look cozy and quite prosperous with flower gardens and fruit trees surrounding them.

From Shitty Bench the road descends steeply to Kaslo, built on an outwash which thrusts out into Kootenay Lake. By British Columbia standards it's an old town with an interesting past. It was once the terminal of a railroad which ran back into the mountains to Sandon when that town was the centre of tremendous mining activity.

Having a natural inclination to poking around ghost towns I took the road over the mountains from Kaslo. For part of the way it occupies the old railway grade but later climbs among the crags as a normal Kootenay road should do, passing the ruins of old mine buildings and tailings dumps. The mountains are speckled with deserted mine workings almost to their peaks.

Sandon is a short side trip from this road which continues to New Denver on Slocan Lake, and so narrow is the valley in which it is hidden that it is hard to believe a town so populous once stood there.

Investigation however discloses old ruins and foundations hiding amongst the brush on the steep mountainsides. Only a pitiful remnant of the old town remains, for long after it had degenerated to the status of ghost town a flash flood in the

narrow gap washed out half of the buildings and deposited them in the form of matchwood in Slocan Lake seven miles down the creek.

Sandon is still recognizable as a townsite which is more than can be said of Three Forks a short distance away at the junction of the New Denver road. Once a town of several thousand it has completely disappeared as far as the passing traveller is concerned although if directed to the spot by a local historian one might discover the half-collapsed ruin of a building in the vigorous young forest growth. The flood which destroyed Sandon washed away the railway that served both towns.

Part of the fun of visiting ghost towns is to stir up an old prospector, if you can find one, and listen to his stories of the past glories of the place, any account of which is sure to include a list of the saloons that supplied the pressing needs of the community.

Sandon was credited with 13, or was it 17? The Forks had its share too. I remember the days when Three Forks had buildings and a railroad. It was reached by a different route than, on the other side of Carpenter Creek. The road climbed arduously from New Denver, in places a snow ledge at dizzy heights along craggy cliffs, and it too has almost vanished.

Nature is robust in the Kootenays. Slides and washouts are of frequent occurrence in these steep mountains, and any road, deserted and unrepaid, is soon reclaimed by the wilderness.

Perhaps the logical place to end this ramble is New Denver built on mining and now subsisting on quiet meditation, close as can be to nature — a coyote crossed the road in front of me half a mile from town — with its back door on Slocan Lake which reaches away, fiord-like, between precipitous mountain ranges, a picture postcard town with all the components of its setting arranged as by a skilful landscape artist. How refreshing to see the undeveloped lake shore, the miles of virgin shoreline without a shack, without a summer cabin, the empty lake with the non-existent high powered boat doing figure eights around the equally non-existent fisherman! I suppose the tourist will find New Denver in time when improved roads make the journey less of an adventure, or perhaps one of those periodic rumors that pass through the sleepy town like a sigh, of some local mine re-opening, will materialize and the Silver Slocan will stir with something of the old bustle that has been so long a memory.

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Once upon a time, several million years ago, one of our ancestors sat before his fire eating a piece of raw dinosaur steak . . . by accident it fell into the fire. Before it could be retrieved it became partially cooked. This was a new taste for our caveman, he liked it so well he called his mate who was back in the cave making a pair of shorts for her lord and master out of a tiger skin. She too liked the crispy meat . . . and that's how cooking got started.

I'm sure it was Mrs. Caveman who suggested spearing the meat on a forked stick so it wouldn't become covered with ashes . . . and probably just for that women got stuck with the cooking. I can just hear her husband saying: "Well, if you're so smart, go ahead and do it."

Well cooking caught on. People started cooking meat on pointed sticks, in clay pots hung on tripods and in pits dug in the ground and lined with hot stones. In the beginning all the cooking was done out of doors. Finally after a few thousand years they got around to grills and ovens. Later yet someone had the bright idea of bringing the whole business indoors by inventing stoves.

Time and civilization marched on and after another long, long time some bright boy thought

It would be fun to cook outdoors. He built a grill out of boulders in his backyard, he brought home some steaks and cooked dinner for mama and the children. So here we are full circle right back where we started a million years ago. Proving what Solomon said about there being nothing new under the sun.

Barbecuing and outdoor cooking have become tremendously popular . . . through the summer months a large proportion of the population cook their evening meal out of doors. Outdoor eating can be as simple or as elegant as you wish . . . It can be an easy picnic lunch of sandwiches and cookies under the apple tree or a company buffet on the patio with food cooked on an expensive grill and served in the grand manner. The first and most important rule for outdoor eating is to have lots of food.

One of the all-time barbecue standbys is chicken. Perhaps part of the charm of barbecued chicken is the lovely fragrance that fills the air as it cooks. This fragrance is enhanced and made more tantalizing if the bird is first marinated in a savory marinade. And what an easy procedure this is with Instant Meat Marinade which comes in those handy little foil packages . . . simply mix the contents of the package with 2-3 cup water or white wine (white wine for chicken, red wine for beef.)

BARBECUED CHICKEN A LA MARINADE — One 2 to 3 1/2 lb. broiler-fryer, 1 pkg. instant meat marinade, 2-3 cup cold water or dry white wine and 2 Tbsp. salad oil. Thoroughly blend the contents of the package of marinade with the water or wine in a shallow pan. Place the chicken in the marinade. Pierce all surfaces of the chicken deeply with a fork to carry the flavor deep down and to lock in natural juices. Marinate only 15 minutes, turning several times. Remove from marinade. Pour the marinade into a measuring cup, add the salad oil and use this for

MURIEL WILSON'S

OUTDOOR COOKING

... as simple or as elegant

broasting. Place the chicken on grill 4 to 6 inches above coals which should be gray, hot with a ruddy glow. Grill for a total of 40 to 45 minutes, or until chicken is golden brown and well done (inside should not be pink). Turn frequently, brushing with marinade each time. This is really barbecued chicken at its best.

Accompany the chicken with corn on the cob as gratin, icy-cold relishes, hot baking powder biscuits and honey. For dessert, colorful, sweet and juicy watermelon. End the meal with coffee or iced tea.

CORN ON THE COB AU GRATIN — Brush precooked corn on the cob with melted butter or margarine. Season with salt and pepper, then roll each cob in grated cheddar cheese. Wrap tightly in aluminum foil, heat on the grill for 10 to 15 minutes, turning occasionally.

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HAWAIIAN RIBS OONA LOA — 4 pounds

ribs, 1 1/2 ts. pineapple slices, sliced pineapple

MARINADE (from tin of Tbsp. brown sugar and 1 1/2 tsp. most tender bottle. Refrigerate ingredients, refrigerator place on grill from heat. frequently turning to be cooked slowly the heat on. About 5 min. pineapple slices grill beside slightly brown for the shrimp. Perhaps barbecue in the oven

CHICKEN IS BARBECUE STANDBY



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DEAR GIRLS:

Here is a good one for all of you who store your fingernail polish bottles upside down to keep the polish from thickening so fast, as you use it.

You know those paper-mache egg cartons with the little cups in the bottom? You can turn the carton upside down and insert your bottles (upside down, too) in those nice little compartments in the bottom of the

ties of polish. If you don't have that many, wash off the carton so it has the number of little slots that you do need.

I spray-painted mine gold, and it looks very attractive on my dresser.

carton. This is best for bottles with the long, pointed caps. Or—cut the lid off the carton and discard it. Then clip off the points that stick up in the middle of the bottom half, so the carton bottom will stand firmly when inverted. Use just the bottom half upside down, as I said before.

These will hold five bot-

DEAR HELOISE:

When I tore the last postage stamp out of a book of fives, I thought of a way to use those little pages separating the stamps. They are nifty for little memo pads.

It might take a couple of pages, but they're grand for jotting down recipes and

perfect for many items.

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OUTDOOR COOKING

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Place the chicken on grill 4 to 6 inches from heat which should be gray, not with a blue flame. Grill for a total of 40 to 45 minutes. Chicken is golden brown and well done when it is no longer pink. Turn frequently, with marinade each time. This is really chicken at its best.

Company the chicken with corn on the cob, gratin, icy-cold relishes, hot baking biscuits and honey. For dessert, select and juicy watermelon. End the meal with iced tea.

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ribs, 1½ tsp. seasoned meat tenderizer, 1 pineapple slices and 1 cup juice (the No. 2 can sliced pineapple has 8 slices).

MARINADE AND SAUCE — 1 cup juice (from tin of pineapple slices) ¼ cup honey, 1 Tbsp. brown sugar, ¼ cup soy sauce, ¼ cup water and 1½ tsp. ground ginger. Prepare the ribs with meat tenderizer according to instructions on bottle. Refrigerate overnight. Combine sauce ingredients, pour over ribs and return to refrigerator to marinate for 5 hours. Drain meat, place on grill over hot coals, about 4 to 5 inches from heat. Broil until well browned, basting frequently with the sauce. Takes 25 to 30 minutes, turning to brown all sides. If you like your ribs cooked slower adjust the grill a little further from the heat and take a little longer for cooking. About 5 minutes before taking up the meat, brush pineapple slices with the sauce and place on the grill beside the meat, heat through until slices are slightly browned at the edges. Serve as a garnish for the shining brown ribs.

Perhaps you haven't an outdoor grill or barbecue—here is a meal that can be cooked in the oven indoors and then served outdoors

on patio or back yard. It is called Swiss Bites and uses chuck steak.

SWISS BITES—1 Tbsp. butter or margarine, 2 pounds chuck steak, 1 pkg. onion soup mix, ½ lb. fresh mushrooms, half a green pepper sliced, a 1 lb. tin of tomatoes (reserve juice) drained and chopped. You can use peeled fresh tomatoes if you wish. About 2 tsp. meat tenderizer, ¼ tsp. salt, a dash of freshly ground pepper, 1 Tbsp. steak sauce and 1 Tbsp. corn starch. You will need a 20-inch sheet of heavy duty aluminum foil. Place foil on a baking sheet. Spread center of sheet with the soft butter. Use meat tenderizer on steak according to directions. Cut meat into serving size portions and arrange on foil with portions overlapping a bit. (the steak should be cut about 1-inch thick). Sprinkle the meat with the onion soup mix, place the cut up mushrooms (large pieces) and green pepper on top. If canned tomatoes are used spoon over other ingredients.

Season. Mix saved tomato juice, (½ cup) with steak sauce and cornstarch. Pour over meat and vegetables. If fresh tomatoes are used water or vegetable juice can be used in place of tomato juice. Now bring foil up over and double fold edges to seal tightly. Bake about 2 hours in 350 degree oven.

PICKLED GARDEN RELISH is a wonderful dish to serve at a barbecue. Here is the recipe — half a small head of cauliflower broken into flowerets, 2 carrots cut in 2-inch strips, 2 stalks celery cut in 1-inch pieces (1 cup), 1 green pepper cut in 2-inch strips, 1 jar pimiento drained, 1 cup stuffed green olives, ¼ cup wine vinegar, ½ cup salad oil, 2 Tbsp. sugar, 1 tsp. salt, ¼ tsp. crushed oregano and ¼ tsp. pepper. In a large skillet combine all the ingredients with ¼ cup water. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat, cover and simmer 5 minutes, no more. Cool, then refrigerate overnight. Drain and serve icy cold.

Bride's Corner

BARBECUE SNACKS, NIBBLERS AND DIPS . . .

TUNA-MUSHROOM DIP—Blend ½ cup mayonnaise with ½-oz. package cream cheese. Add 1 small tin flaked tuna, 1 Tbsp. instant minced onion, 1 7½-oz. tin tomato sauce with mushrooms and ¼ cup finely chopped celery. Serve with potato chips or crackers.

DEVILED CELERY STICKS—Combine 2 2¼-oz. tins deviled ham, 1 7½-oz. tin tomato sauce with mushrooms, ½ tsp. instant minced onion, ¼ tsp. seasoned pepper and 2 Tbsp. sweet pickle relish. Stir until well blended. Fill 2-inch pieces of celery with the mixture. Arrange on serving plate, cover and refrigerate until ready to serve.

CHILI-CHEESE HOT DIP—Heat 1 cup canned chili, simmer for 10 minutes to evaporate part of the liquid. Blend in ½ cup grated sharp cheese. Use as a dip for potato chips or garlic buttered bread sticks.

HELP FOR HOMEMAKERS

perfect for last-minute grocery items.

Frances Keeney

These little books are also good for jotting down an address or telephone number, for noting comparative prices when shopping, etc. They don't take up much space in your purse, and best of all, they're for free . . . so let's use them.

Heloise

DEAR HELOISE:

Here is a hint I hope you will find useful.

If you have a large old handbag (especially the straw type), open it and use a long piece of heavy string to sew one side of the opening to the crossbar of a clothes hanger.

It makes a great clothespin bag, and you can hang



it on the line and shove it along with you.

Mrs. L. W. Syrett

If the purse handle is still strong, you can clip it to the clothesline with a metal pin-

type shower hook.

This, too, can be slipped along the clothesline, and can easily be hooked on and taken off.

Heloise

DEAR HELOISE:

You can buy a package of keys at any art store to attach to the end of oil paint tubes, in order to roll them up without wasting paint or puncturing the tubes.

I discovered that these keys also fit onto tubes of toothpaste. They are marvelous for those "squish-it-in-the-middle" and no wasted toothpaste either.

The keys can be removed from empty tubes and used over and over.

J. J.

DEAR HELOISE:

I have a suggestion about men's shirts:

When the laundry puts too much starch in the collar, rub a damp wash cloth around the inside band. It makes the collar just soft enough not to scratch his neck.

Marcella G.

If you have a hint, problem or suggestion you'd like to share . . . write to Heloise in care of this newspaper.



DEAR HELOISE:

For those who have aquariums and can't get the plastic plants to stay upright on the bottom of the tank, here is what to do:

Take a piece of nylon net and cut a small circular piece, gather the top and put three or four marbles in it. Fasten the net securely to the stem of the plant with needle and thread.

Then simply put the bag in the gravel and the plant will stay put in the aquarium.

Mrs. Wm. R. Hahnott

DEAR HELOISE:

When my chandeliers need washing, I remove the prisms and wrap them individually in nylon net, then wash them in the silverware basket of my dishwasher.

They come out sparkling clean and with no chips or scratches.

Grace

DEAR HELOISE:

When I receive a wedding invitation, I don't throw it away. I put it in a pretty gold picture frame and use this little extra gift to decorate the wedding present.

Mrs. J. R. S.

DEAR HELOISE:

Class leaders take note . . .

Nylon net can be used to make pompons or shakers. They can be washed and reused many times. Since the net comes in so many colors, it isn't difficult to purchase it to match your school colors.

Sharonann Babey



DEAR HELOISE:

When putting oranges in a lunch box, peel and section them and put them into small plastic bags.

The busy worker hasn't time (during a short lunch period) to peel them. And it saves spatters on children's clothes when eating their school lunches.

Mrs. M. L. Pardoe

DEAR HELOISE:

In the kitchen, a decorative coffee can (with plastic lid on the bottom to prevent rust stains on counter) can be placed at the sink to save innumerable trips to the large waste basket or garbage pail.

D. J.

DEAR HELOISE:

I always keep an old glove in our bag of charcoal briquets. When ready to build a fire, all I do is slip the glove on and away I go.

No soiled hands for me. Saves soap and hand towels and my time.

C. D. Arnold

DEAR HELOISE:

I fill my plastic wastebasket with warm soapy water and put the broom in it and slosh it around.

Not only do I wash my broom, but it cleans the wastebasket at the same time. Furthermore, I don't even have to stoop to scrub it.

Diane Grimm

Now, that's really making a clean sweep, isn't it?

Heloise



Victoria's shipping industry centres around Ogden Point docks.

British Columbia has always been a maritime "nation."

In fact, the entire Pacific Northwest owes its discovery and development to the hardy men who ventured "down to the sea in ships." Tiny square-riggers and puffing seamers that brought the explorers, the traders, the settlers, and carried our raw resources to hungry world markets.

For it was these ships of every size and description which ushered B.C. into Confederation and the 20th century.

Ships of All Sizes Helped B.C. Grow

By T. W. PATERSON

B.C. commerce got its start almost 200 years ago, with the visit of Capt. James Cook. After Cook's murder by South Sea natives, on route home via the Orient, the Resolution and Discovery anchored in Canton River to purchase supplies. During the layover, several seamen displayed their souvenirs, prime seal and otter pelts, to Chinese merchants. Hours later, all had been sold—for the staggering sum of 2,000 pounds sterling. The boom was on.

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It was the subsequent flood of traders that prompted Spain to claim the region, resulting in the famous dispute with Britain which ended in our becoming a British possession and the Hudson's Bay Company obtaining a virtual monopoly.

By 1830 the fur trading company had broadened its interests, shipping 400 barrels of salt salmon from Port Langley. Sixty years later, a fleet of windjammers was exclusively employed in this trade, sailing regularly between Steveston and Europe. Then came the export of canned halibut, herring, even dogfish livers. Fishing is still one of the province's greatest industries.

The world-wide need of tall, straight ship's spars initiated our lumber industry, now B.C.'s largest. Before long, Douglas fir was the main commodity. Instead of returning in ballast or lightly-laden with furs, ships annually loaded millions of board feet for England, Australia, China and South America. In 1858 Capt.

Batchelder's capacious George Raynes loaded 800,000 board feet, then a record.

Lumber enjoyed a second boom 30 years later, with development of the Joggins' log raft. Originally tried on the Atlantic, where it failed due to frequent storms, the log boom came to the west coast about 1892. The maiden voyage from Coos Bay, Oregon, was hardly a success, the unwieldy raft of hundreds of logs almost sinking its charge several times. But the seagoing loggers persisted and, with refinements, this method of towing logs downcoast in acres-wide booms is used today, many logs knowing no other employment.

For San Francisco gourmets with pocketbooks to satisfy their appetites, there were succulent oysters. Beautiful clipper ships recalled the romantic tea trade as they raced between B.C. ports and the Bay City with their perishable cargoes. Several were lost in this perilous trade which demanded mariners forsake caution for speed.

Coal—black gold—from Fort Rupert and Nanaimo poured into yawning holds and bunkers of the ever-increasing steamships plying north-west waters. Coal to fire the tugs, the freighters, the passenger liners, the men-of-war. Coal to fire factory furnaces. Coal for the home. Millions of

tons of the dark fuel were mined in a century, forming a leading industry. But oil and gasoline have taken its place; few mines remain in operation. However, negotiations are presently underway between Crownst Pass producers and Japanese interests, which may yet revitalize one of the province's oldest and greatest industries. Once again, it will be ships which transport the black ore to world markets.

The gold rush of 1858 gave the passenger trade its real start. Eager 'dons rushed to B.C. in any craft that would float. Many hulks, long unseaworthy, were pressed into service, competing with large, modern steamships. In two months alone, April and May, 24 ships carried 7,140 adventurers to mainland ports. On a single day, July 3, 1,732 prospectors embarked at San Francisco. Business was so good that one ship, forced to put back for repairs, had to refund \$12,500.

This boom initiated Fraser River navigation, a growing fleet of sternwheelers opening up the interior for the next 50 years. Greatest drawback to this roaring trade was a shortage of seamen — most jumped ship and headed for the gold fields.

There were other difficulties. One frail riverboat capsized with the loss of 13 passengers, including a woman and child, when its captain foolishly tried recovering a rocking chair which had fallen overboard.

Another, the *Seabird*, was plagued by misfortune. Stranded below Hope, her passengers angrily stomped ashore. It took two months to refloat her. Five days later, while returning to Victoria, she burned to the waterline. It took courage to go to sea in those days. Or overboating!

By 1858, shipyards had appeared in most B.C. ports, Victoria launching many fine vessels, seal and steam. Many were home-made. One, the *sew Union*, was so "tender" her owners kept life preservers scoured to her deck by a long line. Should she sink overnight, they would have no difficulty finding her!

There now were so many ships — and mishaps — that in 1864 B.C. pilots finally got their own vessel, the *Victoria Packet*. Over the years, government workhorses like the *Sir James Douglas*, *Quandra* and *Givenchy* went quietly about their duties charting and lighting the coast. Today many coast guard and hydrographic ships continue this fine heritage, making B.C.'s treacherous shores safe for mariners.

Commodore John Irving's famous Canadian Pacific Navigation Company came into being in 1888. Its fleet became the Northwest's finest, the firm eventually selling out to Canadian Pacific Railways. Union Steamships was formed seven years later, its coastal passenger service operating until 1955.

There was whaling. First to note this potential industry was Hudson's Bay governor, Sir George Simpson, in 1842. He suggested harpooners join the firm's venerable ship *Beaver*, but it remained for Scotsman James Dawson to begin operations 27 years later. This venture enjoyed initial success but folded within three years. In 1905 *Victoria Whaling Company* was formed, lasting until 1942, when the little fleet tied up at Victoria's Point Elliot Bridge for the last time.

Today Western Canada Whaling Company works out of a former RCAF seaplane base at Coal Harbor, near Vancouver Island's northwestern tip. The whalers boasted a record season in 1944, but the future is doubtful. One of the province's oldest sea industries may well founder in the near future.

The most romantic of all B.C. maritime pursuits was sealing. For nine months of each year, 100 stout schooners prowled frigid northern waters, particularly Bering Sea. Eighty per cent of the fleet tied up in Victoria between seasons at what is now the city garbage wharf. Iron mooring rings, hand-driven into solid rock, still can be seen beside the Kelly Douglas building.

Besides storm, ice, fog and loneliness, sealers had to contend with American and Russian gunboats much of the time, as both nations claimed the Pribilof Island breeding grounds. The controversy raged for years. Finally, when the seal faced extinction, Great Britain, the U.S., Russia and Japan signed the Pelagic Treaty, ending one of the brightest chapters in Northwest maritime history. For years, killed schooners rotted at their moorings in the Inner Harbor. Not one remains today. But Victorians still savor names such as McLean, Jacobsen, Balcom ... Lala, Pioneer, Favorite, Alert, Surprise, Halyoon ...

There were disasters on the high seas in those days. Vancouver Island's jagged west coast,

ISLANDER Crossword Puzzle

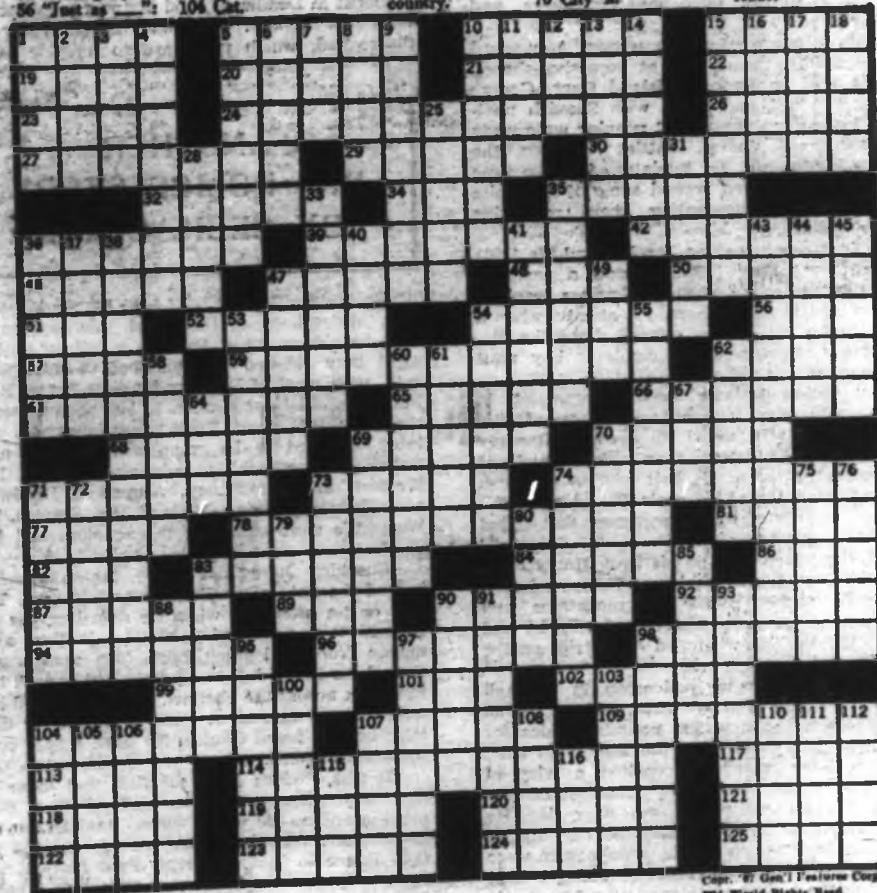
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By Jean Reed
ACROSS

- 1 File markers.
- 5 Kelo, for one.
- 10 Total.
- 15 Celebrity.
- 19 Miss Fitzgerald.
- 20 Show leader.
- 21 Ship guide.
- 22 Wee —!
- 23 Mighty mite.
- 24 Racing event.
- 25 Wood: Fr.
- 27 Obtain.
- 29 Catch.
- 30 Mourne.
- 32 Ridicule.
- 34 Friend in France.
- 35 Kind of chest.
- 36 City in Minnesota.
- 39 Out —!
- 42 Tell on: Slang.
- 46 Pitcher's ambition.
- 47 Horse farms.
- 48 Motorcycle organization.
- 50 Ahead of time.
- 51 Spanish gold.
- 52 Colorado park.
- 54 Homingway.
- 56 "Just as —"
- 57 British spa.
- 59 Part of a race.
- 62 Short ride.
- 63 Racing face.
- 65 Worries.
- 66 Regions.
- 68 Space trip.
- 69 Checkbook.
- 70 Cecil De —
- 71 Going — minute; 3 words.
- 73 Beauty shop.
- 74 Race rating.
- 77 Races, as a motor.
- 78 Position in 38 Down; 3 words.
- 81 Indian.
- 82 Do — says.
- 83 Yeoman.
- 84 Came up.
- 86 Scrap.
- 87 Hebrew month.
- 88 Wildebeest.
- 90 Kitchen wear.
- 92 Maryland race track.
- 94 "Oh, my — back!"
- 96 Happening.
- 98 French names.
- 99 Tall tale teller.
- 101 Nothing.
- 102 Meager.
- 104 Cat.
- 107 Sedate.
- 109 Forever —!
- 113 Leaf.
- 114 Well-worn way; 2 words.
- 117 Puerto —
- 118 Oven.
- 119 Flower.
- 120 — money!
- 121 — it's spinach...!
- 122 Party giver.
- 123 High and low.
- 124 Promising person.
- 125 Mr. Preminger.

DOWN

- 1 Parties.
- 2 Old: Cor.
- 3 Political group.
- 4 Japanese coats.
- 5 Start over, in bridge.
- 6 Pile up.
- 7 3rd century date; Rom.
- 8 Long fish.
- 9 Fox, in fables.
- 10 Word of worship.
- 11 Rake.
- 22 Globe.
- 13 Room in a chateau.
- 14 Famous golfer's family.
- 15 African country.
- 16 "The bird — the wing": 2 words.
- 17 Ship.
- 18 Suffix with mad or sad.
- 25 Myra Hess et al.
- 28 Highway.
- 31 French painter.
- 33 Poles of a sort.
- 35 Intones.
- 36 Social climbers.
- 37 Pentateuch.
- 38 Racing event; 2 words.
- 40 Melt.
- 41 Life work.
- 43 Racing event; 2 words.
- 44 Demand.
- 45 Certain songs.
- 47 Plot.
- 49 Important Washington agency: Initials.
- 53 Contrivances: Slang.
- 54 Special trip.
- 55 Diminishes.
- 58 Ship parts.
- 60 Mathematical measure.
- 61 Claw.
- 62 — Law.
- 64 Nautical chain.
- 67 Old word for old.
- 69 Composition.
- 70 City in Georgia.
- 71 City in Guam.
- 72 Audible art.
- 73 Play parts.
- 74 Big sandwiches.
- 75 High home.
- 76 For — school!
- 79 Work unit.
- 80 Ointment.
- 83 Miss Oakley.
- 85 Investment; 2 words.
- 88 Illness.
- 90 Native of Nepal.
- 91 Prudent.
- 93 Part of Canada.
- 96 Talkative person.
- 97 Burial.
- 98 Money man.
- 100 Baseball name.
- 103 Hide.
- 104 Native of India.
- 105 Peculiar to: Prefix.
- 106 — well.
- 107 Suffix with mob or gang.
- 108 James Bond foe; 2 words.
- 110 District: Abbr.
- 111 Room to swing —: 2 words.
- 112 Toy.
- 115 See — glance; 2 words.
- 116 Atmosphere: Abbr.



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world notorious as the Graveyard of the Pacific, wrecked many a good ship. Murderous Indians claimed their share. The single disaster which had the profoundest effect on Victorians was that of the new American passenger steamer, *Challam*, which foundered almost on our doorstep, Jan. 8, 1904 — Black Friday. As a relative and friends helplessly lined Oak Bay beaches, 55 holidaying families, mostly women and children, drowned. *Challam's* master was accused of criminal negligence, and worse, but never stood trial.

Today ships of almost every nationality ply B.C. waters. One of the newest additions to the local marine scene is the modern barge. Some are almost as large as deepsea ships; they carry

pulp, chemicals and ore concentrates the length of the west coast.

As B.C. stands on the threshold of her second century as a province, mariners are looking to the future. The day of the familiar merchantmen is passing. Around the world, new "super" freighters and tankers are sliding down the ways. Our port authorities are preparing to meet this challenge with larger, modernized harbor facilities.

We can look forward to a continuing, even more prosperous, partnership with an old friend: the sea.

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This is once more the peak season for yachtsmen to poke into unfrequented waterways at the north end of the Gulf of Georgia, and find themselves in the land of the big up and down; the spot where the scenery is mostly vertical, with the water as deep as the mountains are high.

On the early day navy charts, 100 fathom soundings were shown with monotonous regularity. When the figures were underlined it meant no bottom, which I suppose was all you could do with a quarter-inch manilla line and a leaden weight. With wire sounders they got deeper, and finally with the echo sounder came the facts of life. Like finding out that the threshold of Jarvis Inlet is 2,400 feet deep!

In these intricate waterways you need above all a calendar, a tide table and a watch; for, mix up your dates or misread a time table and you'll find the Euclataw rapids or the Hole in the Wall offering difficulties.

Now and again you will put in at some landing, and by the peaceful look of some of these little island communities you will maybe get the feeling that nothing ever happened there, and probably never will.

Which is where you'd be wrong. A hundred and seventy-five years ago at horseshoe-shaped Redonda Bay on Redonda Island Capt. George Vancouver wine and dined with Spanish navigators. In addition these swift running waterways have witnessed Indian battles between the northern Hoidas and the Euclataws. By the time the gay skiffs rolled around some of the white settlers were demonstrating their particular brand of culture.

For instance it was on Reed Island (in 1893) that bootlegger Harry Myers threw a party at Taylor's logging camp when five loggers drank 15 bottles of whisky in 24 hours. Eventually, when a quarrel broke out, Myers gunned down the dissident guest, then held the camp at bay until he got away in his sloop.

What followed later was a manhunt in keeping with the wilderness nature of the country. For Harry sailed up desolate Ramsay Arm, abandoned his boat, then with a couple of six shooters tucked in his belt took to the bush with his terrier dog at his heels. The dog, by the way, was the centre of the argument that ended in death.

With the police hard on his trail, Harry knew that escape would be a problem. The sound of a shot would racket round the mountains and promptly give away his whereabouts. So he had to settle for dog. He whopped his terrier on the head and cooked and ate it.

Meantime provincial policemen in a small steamboat cruised Ramsay Arm, Cahn Channel and Bute Inlet scanning the mountain sides for sign of a fire. It was from the Bute Inlet side, four days later, that they spotted a wisp of smoke. Myers had climbed the 3,500 foot Downie range and was coming down the other side. He hadn't noticed the searching steamboat because it hugged the shoreline. A couple of policemen were landed, and after an hour or two waiting behind trees along the bush trail, along came Myers. No sooner had he passed them than he got the crisp order to stick up his hands. The result for Harry, was a life term in the B.C. Penitentiary.

The next year Reed Island was again in the headlines when two fishermen found the body of a man floating in a skiff. The boat was devoid of oars or sail, and the cadaver's head (bearing signs of extensive injury) was under one of the seats. Towed to Reed Island, the dead man was quickly identified as Charlie Baker, 65-year-old partner of Reed Island Storekeeper John Westcott. Some thought that Baker had stumbled down some shoreline cliff, staggered to his skiff and fallen in to it. However on the arrival of the

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police and a doctor, an autopsy showed the unfortunate Baker had been hit on the head with a blunt instrument, then put into the skiff and set adrift.

In the eight-month long police investigation that followed some extraordinary facts were revealed about life on Reed Island.

For one thing, a handful of Reed Island's 30 residents (down to a dozen or so today) had all at one time or another lived at Deadwood City, in the South Dakota badlands. They were people who had known Wild Bill Hickock, Calamity Jane, Deadwood Dick and all the rest. Interesting to know, by the way, that there actually was a Deadwood Dick.

Anyway one of the Reed Islanders had been a sheriff in Deadwood, and his near neighbor had been his deputy. In some fashion they got discredited, which was hard to imagine in the

her in Westcott's store, that she just might be the key to the problem. After a second meeting Mrs. Scanlon invited the young fisherman up to the house for a meal. After the coffee was poured she gave him a strong hint that he was welcome any time — particularly when her husband was away.

Butcher kept the Cortes Island Justice of the Peace aware of his progress, and after a few friendly visits to the Scanlon ménage it was one afternoon when Scanlon was absent that Mrs. Scanlon urged Butcher to take her away from the Island.

"What about your children?" countered Butcher.

"Aw, he can look after them," she sneered. Then she added in an almost confidential tone. "If I don't get away he'll kill me — like he killed Charlie Baker!"

Baker saw a chasm opening up, so discreetly intimated it wouldn't work. His mind was working overtime when a little later he took his leave.

Word of all this was quickly passed to Anderson at Comox, whose cryptic but urgent wire soon brought Supt. Hussey to Cortes Island. Choosing a moment when Mrs. Scanlon was alone, Hussey paid her a visit and got the whole story.

"Haughtigandy," is the way Scotland's poet Burns would have described the social atmosphere of Reed Island. Today, I suppose, you would type it "hanky panky." Anyway there was plenty of it, according to Mrs. Scanlon.

At the trial in Vancouver Supt. Hussey told the court about the statement Mrs. Scanlon had made to him.

She told Hussey, among other things, that she lost faith in Scanlon about three years back, when for three weeks they slept three in a bed; the third bedfellow being Lucy Westcott.

Since then while Scanlon sojourned himself on the sly with Mrs. Westcott, Mrs. Scanlon admitted she had fun and games with Charlie Baker. She told how, whenever Scanlon was absent, she used to arrange the washing on the line as a signal the coast was clear and along would come Charlie. He only lived half a mile away on the curve of the bay with the Scanlon house in sight.

Apparently one morning Scanlon started out on a hunting trip, figuring to be gone a week, and as soon as he departed out went the washing and along came Charlie.

Unfortunately Scanlon's dog got the wind of some deer hides that were being shipped, and took off down the beach. Scanlon couldn't recall him, so in disgust gave up the trip and returned home. When he opened the bedroom door, well, there they were. Scanlon picked up a wooden mallet used for splitting shakes, and let Baker have it over the head. Mrs. Scanlon said she fled from the room but heard repeated blows.

"You say a word about this and you'll get the same thing!" was Scanlon's caution to his wife later. When the four children came home from school (Mrs. Westcott gave them lessons in a room behind the store) their mother told them not to go into the bedroom but to go out and play. In fact she went with them and they all played hide and seek until dusk.

At supper time the kids were fed, then packed off to bed.

When they were all asleep, said Mrs. Scanlon, she and her husband carried Baker's body down to the beach in the dark, pushed him into his skiff, then Scanlon, in his boat, towed the dead man out into mid-channel and cast him loose.

Mrs. Scanlon was in bed when her husband

ANOTHER B.C. POLICE STORY BY CECIL CLARK

Here atmosphere of Deadwood. Anyway, rather than be ridden out of town on a rail, or shot on sight they skipped to Manitoba, Canada. Some said, with most of Deadwood's civic funds. From Manitoba, they came west, to lose themselves on the hazy B.C. coast. Their wives followed a year later, included in the group was the dead man, Baker, along with his storekeeping partner, John Westcott and wife, Lucy. Also from Deadwood were their neighbors a Mr. and Mrs. Scanlon. The Westcotts were children, the Scanlons had four children.

Checking here and there the police first proved the date when Baker was last seen. This was on an afternoon when he rowed across the channel to a neighboring island to collect some money from a logging boss. The man wasn't around, so Baker left and people had noticed him row back across the channel. In fact watched him until he was almost at Reed Island. Four days later he was found dead in his boat, a mile or so down the channel.

It was obvious from the first that these ex-Deadwood citizens were a tight-mouthed community, and as the weeks turned into months, not another clue turned up. However, the head of the B.C. Police in Victoria, Supt. Fred Hussey, was apparently a man who wanted action. As a result Prov. Const. W. B. Anderson at Comox went into a huddle with Cortes Island J. P. Mike Manson, to come up with the idea of an undercover man. Manson vouched for a young fisherman, a bachelor called Butcher, whom Anderson put on the police payroll for a couple of months. From then on it was noticeable that Butcher did a lot of fishing in Sutil Channel, which allowed him to drop in periodically to Westcott's store for supplies. It was finally, in this fashion, he made the acquaintance of Mrs. Laura Scanlon who apparently had all the physical attributes of an old time burlesque queen.

Morally, she had the outlook of the Empress Theodora. She could outswear an logger on the island, most of whom she had slept with, and scattered in her trail were about seven husbands, all of whom had divorced her.

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*Buxom women laugh, sing and frolic, men with
big beer steins dance on table-tops, a guitarist strums,
lovers link their arms and drink . . . Strange scenes in
a B.C. pub, where the tradition is puritan pure. But it
happened!*

ART FOR THE ALEHOUSE

By PATRICK O'NEILL

"I'm going to improve the
environment where I quaff ale; if I
have to paint the walls of every pub
in the province!"

With these words, 21-year-old
Vancouver painter Vern Simpson
began his artistic assault on the
drinking surroundings of B.C. pub
enthusiasts.

The start was in Courtenay, where
beer drinking patrons watched for
hours as Simpson carried out a
commission to paint a series of five
great murals on the walls of the
Riverside Hotel pub.

Enthusiasm of customers indi-
cates it is only the first step in the
battle to make living a little bit
brighter, with a splash of artistic
color.

Simpson has also won praise for
his experimental set of murals on
Pender Street for an architectural
firm in Vancouver.

But strangest of all perhaps, for a
Canadian, was his work in Mexico,
where he depicted local history in a
big mural.

When tourists sign up for guided
tours in San Miguel, north of Mexico
city, they are taken to the famous
art school Instituto Allende.

There, one of the nights they are
presented with a wall with a
revolutionary mural, depicting a
climactic moment in the 1910
revolution against Spain.

But the tourists wouldn't know this

historical monument was the work
of a young Canadian.

Simpson and his artist wife
Lawrie, who was born in Cowichan
Station, lived in San Miguel for a
year.

At San Miguel he got his Master
of Fine Arts, a degree for which
Lawrie is now working.

Simpson says the general pub
atmosphere in British Columbia is
"somewhat staid, sterile and par-
simonious."

At the Riverside, he has tried to
represent many traditions of Ger-
man lines and beer halls.

"Within the limitations of the
setting I have painted suspiciously
Bavarian characters frolicking,
quaffing ale, and generally carrying
on in a fashion which would
displease the Women's Christian
Temperance Union. Who wouldn't go
there anyway?"

Why does an artist turn to
murals?

"I think this form can reach a
wide range of people, and murals
can add a little human warmth to a
building. This warmth is often lost
in architecture."

Discussing the difference between
working with realistic or abstract
figures, Simpson said:

"Modern or contemporary archi-
tecture is the best location for more
abstract murals or sculpture, in that
it helps to add a human scale."



Agnes Flett photo

SIMPSON CHECKS his work in Riverside Hotel.

"More antique buildings seem
better suited to a more realistic
approach. At this point, I'm trying to
do the type of mural that suits the
situation best."

"As I get more commissions I
will probably be able to work more
and more into a personal style."

Simpson was born in Penticton,
where he is going to teach an art
course at the summer school this
year.

The couple has admitted to a
little difficulty in making the
adjustment to the impersonal bustle
of Canadian life, after a year in
Mexico.

Earlier, while travelling and
studying in Europe, Simpson was
given the opportunity of doing a
mural in London.

"I realized how ignorant I was, I
didn't know anything about the
concept of mural execution."

At the Institute, most famous art
school in Latin America, Simpson

won a prestigious scholarship to
study murals.

Respected Victoria artist Tony
Osley had won the same scholarship
several years before.

Simpson said there are two
groups in the art colony of San
Miguel, the hobbyists and the
serious artists.

For the hobbyists, the scenery
provides good background for fur-
ther study and work.

For serious artists, he said, the
school is excellent if they can work
independently.

"You have to have a solid point
of view to start with, and be able to
do without day to day teaching."

It suited him, and next summer
Lawrie will be going back to San
Miguel to get her Masters degree.

In between, there are a lot of
walls, waiting for a touch of human
warmth.

And a lot of pubs, waiting for
the paintbrush.

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the next morning, little did they know there
wouldn't be any school. The obliging Mrs.
Westcott came up to the Scanlon's and washed
the bedroom floor! Lucky Mr. Scanlon, with two
women to aid him: one through fear, the other
through love!

MUSEUM of the NORTH

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camera lens with the accumulated patience of the
uncomprehending primitive, are all so real that
one feels the urge to speak to them.

Further along, stands the wooden stump the
Eskimos made for the Danish explorer and
writer, Peter Freuchen, after he froze his legs
while living with them in the Arctic. As Freuchen
explains it, "I froze my left leg off, and that
turned me into a writer and, as I had started, I
could never stop again." The wooden stump is
complete with a base pad for the foot in which
kalle oots were made to represent the toes. The
job was a labor of love by the Eskimos and
indicates the regard in which Freuchen was held
by them. Wood, in any form, is more golden than
gold in that treeless land.

A rusted rifle, a weathered axe recall the epic
manhunt for Albert Johnson, the "Mad Trapper
of Rat River," after he shot and killed an R.C.M.
Police constable, then took to the woods in a
futile effort to escape his fate.

Remnants gathered from a desolate cabin on
the Thelon River tell of the cruel end to the
mystic Barren Lands wanderer, John Hornby,
who starved to death while trying to live up to his
boast that he could always "live off the country."

He failed when the migrating caribou deserted
their usual travel trails. With him, died two
trusting young English boys, Adelard and
Christian.

The museum's Eskimo exhibit arouses great
interest among the visitors. Possibly this is due to
the publicity presently being given to their
primitive soapstone carvings. One of the most
attractive of these is a large soapstone igloo
lamp. This is a long, hollowed-out piece of black
soapstone which is filled with seal oil into which a
wick of twisted moss is dropped.

A hooded, fur-clad model of an Eskimo seal
hunter, crouching over a breathing hole out in the
ice-pack, beautifully simulated by blocks of white
styrofoam, creates an intensely realistic real-life
scene.

These are but a few of the unexpected
displays which enchant the eye and arouse the
curiosity of the northern visitor.

There are other things to recommend the
Museum of the North. An unexpected one came
one warm day last summer from a stoutish,
rather flushed older American lady visitor. "I like
your little museum," she said happily, "it's just
small enough so that my feet don't hurt after
walking around it."

To Hussey's chagrin, it seems that Mrs.
Scanlon burned her husband's overalls, and later
burned the mallet. She felt Scanlon might be
inclined to belt her with it if they ever got into an
argument. The blood-stained shirt showed only
the sleeves affected. So she cut them off, and
turned the shirt into a dress for one of the girls.

Apart from her husband's threats, she said,
Mrs. Westcott also warned her to keep her mouth
shut. For, said Lucy, if Mrs. Scanlon gave
evidence against her husband and he was hanged,
she would have to watch the execution. She said
that was the law in Canada.

Scanlon came to trial in Vancouver that fall,
with W. J. Bowser defending. From the outset it
was evident the case was going awry.

Mrs. Scanlon's past reputation threw a
monkey wrench in the proceedings. In his
summing up Mr. Justice Walkem referred to her
as a "perjuror and a harlot" and Bowser averred
that one blow from the outraged husband was
sufficient to call it manslaughter. Whether there
was more than one blow only Mrs. Scanlon could
say—and nobody believed her.

The jury thought it over, as juries have a
tendency to do in such cases, and came up with a
verdict of "not guilty."

Scanlon, in the Deadwood style, jumped down
from the prisoner's box and started shaking
hands with the jurymen until Mr. Justice Walkem
snapped: "Get that man out of here—he's not in
the United States now!"

All of which goes to show that some of those
peaceful little islands at the upper end of the gulf,
have had their moments.

Names in the Scanlon case changed to
avoid embarrassment.

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New Canadian Policy Mooted

Reviewed by
E. D. WARD-HARRIS

Is Canada innately and unalterably comprised of two nations, and can a solution be found to Canada's current political problems?

These are the questions dealt with in *The Canadian Political Nationality* by Professor Donald Smiley, who now teaches political science at the University of British Columbia.

The subject is unquestionably important, but it had been pawed over so often of late by "experts" that it has become wearisome, and it is indeed debatable whether the English-speaking Canadian public isn't so satiated with it that it has closed its collective mind to the problems of what to do about Quebec. Professor Smiley's solution is the creation of what he calls a new

THE CANADIAN POLITICAL NATIONALITY, by Donald V. Smiley.
Methuen; 112 pages; \$3.50.

national policy. After stating that he has neither the desire nor the credentials to map such a policy, he proceeds to outline one.

No economic integration with the United States he insists, "particularly in a period where American-controlled business comes to act increasingly in harmony with the imperial and domestic objectives of the government of the United States."

In the field of foreign policy Canada should have an enhanced degree of independence from the United States, maintains our political scientist, who adds, with a fine display of bias, "when that nation (the U.S.) has clearly lost its moral, material and military capabilities to lead the non-communist world."

Warning to his subject, Professor Smiley urges "as matter of great urgency" a new national broadcasting policy "to curb the self-destructive tendencies of the CBC and to require the private broadcasting industry to conform to a coherent and explicit formulation of the national interest."

A clue to what he's getting at is supplied by the next plank in his platform. "The imaginative and intelligent development of the Canadian North might come to provide a focus for the enthusiasm of citizens throughout the country."

He mentions cultural and scientific activities (more federal support is required) and says: "Welfare services must mean more than measures to ensure minimum levels

of income and must come to include a complex of specific programs to bring the possibilities of genuine membership in the Canadian community to every citizen, what ever the nature of his disabilities."

Now what exactly does all that mean, I wonder.

Professor Smiley believes that the "post-Diefenbaker Conservatives" are the best-equipped with "resources of imagination and political skill to become a nation-building party."

These opinions, regardless of their validity, would have some meaning if the author had suggested in practical detail ways and means of implementing them, but as it is, merely calling for a new national policy is as effective as calling for an end to sin.

Incidentally, the passages I have quoted are among the most readable in the book, the bulk of which is written in a pedantic manner normally associated with the classroom.

If Professor Smiley seeks an audience for his views outside academic circles, he would be well advised to stop writing in lecture-form and try to inject a little humor and humanity into his style, in the manner of John Kenneth Galbraith.

The Canadian Political Nationality, which should stimulate is in fact aggravating and boring.

ARK of PEACE

Reviewed by JOHN BARKHAM

You have only to read this genuinely funny book about a looney episode in the First World War to realize how far the United States has come from its dewey-eyed innocence of half a century ago. Wars great and small have become so endemic in our time that one has to laugh out loud at the artless anti-war opera buffa Burnet Hershey pictures for us in his book. Reading it, you ask yourself: could anybody have been so naive, so simplistic, as to believe that one could charter a peace ship in New York, sail over to Europe, and persuade the embattled Allies and Germans to kiss and make up?

The answer is "Yes—if the man is Henry Ford." The millionaire maker of Tin Lizzies, having put America on wheels, had convinced himself that he could do anything. "History is bunk," he once said in a classic phrase that will live as long as anything he ever said. With his Peace Ship he proceeded to create his own history that genuinely was bunk.

Burnet Hershey, a rookie New York reporter at the time, was in on the plan from the start and accompanied the peacemakers on their pilgrimage. He recalls the whole bizarre episode now with the chucklesome nostalgia of a paterfamilia re-living a youthful college prank. Intentionally or not, his book is one long laugh, tinged with just a hint of regret for lost innocence. "A sublimely screwy paragraph in American history," he calls it, and so indeed it was.

Ford let himself be talked into chartering the Scandinavian liner Oscar II and filled it with a bunch of starry-eyed romantics, bellicose pacifists, and hard-boiled newsmen. Ford himself boarded the vessel just before it sailed from Hoboken, N.J., on December 4, 1915. Hershey has a delightful vignette of Ford trying to persuade his old crony, Thomas Edison, to join the expedition at the last minute. "Tom, will you take a million dollars to come along?" he pleaded on the pier. Edison, who was hard of hearing, was smart enough to pretend he hadn't heard. The photograph of the conversing pair tells the whole story.

Among the correspondents who

THE ODYSSEY OF HENRY FORD AND THE GREAT PEACE SHIP, by Burnet Hershey; Tappinger Publishing Co.; 215 pp.; \$5.95.

went along on that voyage into cloud cuckoo-land was the AP correspondent, Louis Lochner, then a young newsman seeking the scoop of the century. To Hershey he confessed that the bickering among the pacifists was discouraging, to say the least.

"The closing days of our voyage were not a symphonic poem," he admitted in a masterly understatement. Young William Bullitt, a Philadelphia cub reporter destined to become a distinguished U.S. ambassador, was driven to define a "pacifist" as "a person hard to pacify."

Nothing came of the crazy venture, of course, except sour hilarity around the world. Commentators and cartoonists had a ball at Ford's expense. The Germans, for their part, instead of making peace offered to take the correspondents to the battlefronts for a real story.

Henry Ford, however, continued to live in his dream world where money could do anything. In September of 1915, after Lochner had returned to New York, Ford ordered him back to Europe to see Kaiser Wilhelm. "Get him to disarm," he commanded. "Tell him I'll back him to the limit." As Hershey drily observes: "A world war was something to be settled between Ford and Kaiser Bill." Ah, those were the days...

BOOKS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

THE BLUE ROSE. A COLLECTION OF STORIES FOR GIRLS. Edited by Estelle Steinmetz-Ross. Illustrated by Enrico Arco. Harcourt, Brace and World. 186 pp. \$3.50.

The attractively stylized jacket invites romantic girls to the book. All of the stories are romantic fairy tales. Some are as well known as Andersen's *The Six Swans*; others are less familiar. Mrs. Ross, a well-known storyteller, was supervisor of story-telling in the New York Public Library system. Ages 9-12 (a trifle high?).

PRISKA. By Merja Otsa. Translated by Elizabeth Ferick. Edited by Noel Broadfield. Van Nostrand. 176 pp. \$3.50.

One of the features of present-day publishing is the number of prize-winning books from other countries. This one was "best juvenile of the year" in Finland, a country from which we have not had too many books. Priska, fourteen, is a regular girl, not over-glamorized, who lives with her parents in an apartment in Helsinki, wants to write, and is probably quite a bit like the author of the book.

BOOKS and AUTHORS

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Different Type Travel Guides

THE GOOD CUPPA GUIDE — WHERE TO HAVE TEA IN LONDON, by Jonathan Routh; M. G. Harring Ltd.; 75 cents.

Jonathan Routh has written the novice tea-drinkers guide to tea drinking establishments, and to the gentle art of savoring a good, or bad, cup of tea.

The author states that he has sampled tea in some 500 London establishments, and found that in 465 places the tea tasted more of washing detergent or dishwasher than of tea.

A simple rating key is used to determine the relative merits of the tea shops. Stars (rather than jumps) are awarded according to the quality of the tea served and atmosphere of the establishment.

THE INSULT DICTIONARY — By M. G. Harring Ltd.; \$1.10.

An entirely new weapon for the English-speaking tourist abroad, giving him a veritable arsenal of invective in French, Spanish, Italian and German, covering almost any eventuality where abuse is called for, is provided in *The Insult Dictionary*.

When confronted by a surly waiter, it must be infinitely more satisfying to call him a "repulsive, evil smelling layabout," rather than feebly attempting to pacify him with "garçon," breathed in trembling tones.

This work is guaranteed to produce a much more noteworthy and exciting holiday, assuming that the traveller is fleet enough of foot to return from his journey intact. —J.K.M.

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VOYAGE to KASOS

**THE FEAST OF MEMORY, A
Journey to a Greek Island, by
Elias Kulukundis; Holt, Rinehart
and Winston of Canada Limited,
Toronto; 235 pp.; \$4.95.**

Reviewed by
PERCY MADDUX

The southernmost of the
Dodecanese Islands is Kasos,
which the Phoenicians named
Kaa, meaning the island of
sea foam, about 30 miles north-
east of Crete.

The original settlers were Pho-
enicians, but the island became
Greek and retained its Greek
language and culture throughout the
domination of the Roman Empire
and afterwards when it was under
other powers, such as the Italian
and the Turkish. It did not go back
to Greece until 1946. There are
fewer than 2,000 Kaslots on the
island today, but descendants of
Kaslots are spread all over the
world.

The Feast of Memory by Elias
Kulukundis is the story of one of
those descendants. The author's
grandparents were born on Kasos,
but his parents were born on Syros,
whereas he, London-born, grew up in
America. At the age of 27 he made a
voyage back to Kasos to see it for
himself, to interview people there,
and to research its past.

His book, then, is part anti-
biography, part history, part travel,
and part topography. He writes in
an engaging style and one finds the
book hard to put down. There are
some risqué allusions, but otherwise
it is a fine book. There is an end-
paper map but no photographs.

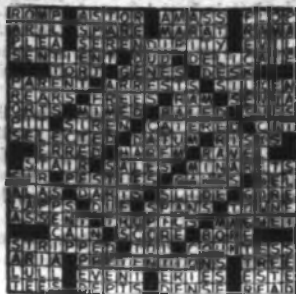
ANAGRAM ANSWERS

- (1) GRANDEUR
- (2) VILLAGE
- (3) ENCUMBERED
- (4) ABSOLUTE
- (5) CHAMPION

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down inside they were entirely
different from Americans, and the
senator should realize it, instead of
talking what to many of them was
independent nonsense.

ANSWER TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE



Reader Gets Jungle Bound

Reviewed by
A. H. MURPHY

What writer Pierre
Boullé describes as "a
foolhardy decision taken
some 20 years ago" has
resulted in a dozen books,
most important of which
was *The Bridge on the
River Kwai*.

In his latest volume he gives us
the sources from which he drew
inspiration for the novel which was
a runaway best-seller made into a
highly successful moving picture.

Source of the River Kwai is
unconventional and drawn from
the author's experiences as planter,
soldier, secret agent and prisoner in
Indo-China, Malaya and the Chinese
province of Yunnan from 1940 to
1944.

To a student of the Far East it
would undoubtedly be a fascinating
recountal, but for me it took a lot of
referring to the cover maps and I

Crime Corner

**GAT HEAT, by Richard R.
Prather, Trident, \$2.95.**

Shamus Shell Scott shoots his
way to victory in L.A. safari that
involves him with society in the ram,
as you might say. Noley and Best.

**THE ART OF SPYING, by En-
rico Altimira, Prentice-Hall,
\$4.95.**

Not exactly a do-it-yourself kit,
but a highly informative little
package, and a readily readable
exposition. Author is a knowledge-
able Italian journalist.

**CASE WITH THREE HUN-
DANTS, by Margaret Erskine,
Crown Club, \$2.95.**

Yard ace Detective Inspector
Septimus Finch, taking his case on
English coast, meets up with
murder and enjoys a policeman's
holiday. Agreeable change-of-pace
number.

—BOMICIDE DESK

**THE SOURCE OF THE RIVER
KWAI, by Pierre Boullé; Boucher
and Warburg; 234 pages; \$5.95.**

confess that I was lost and jungle-
bound more than once.

Pierre Boullé joined the French
forces in Indo-China at the war's
outbreak. After the fall of France he
managed to return to Singapore
where he joined the Free French.

When Singapore fell he set out to
travel the Burma Road to join a
group of compatriots. In six incred-
ible days he accomplished the
journey.

Later, assigned to the borders of
Tonkin as a secret agent and with

order to infiltrate Indo-China, he
prepared for the trip by building a
bamboo raft to shoot the river Nam-
Na.

The story of this journey—and an
unbelievable one it was—is the
climax of the book. He hoped to
reach the confluence of the Nam-Na
and the Red River and thence make
his way to Hanoi.

He triumphed over the rapids but
his ultimate destination was not
Hanoi, but a Vichy prison camp
where he put in two miserable
years.

The account of the trip down the
Nam-Na is dramatic and descrip-
tively good. Other parts of the book
drag although in all the story is told
simply and without heroics.

Analysis of Newfoundland

*The Second World War proved to be a disguised
blessing for Newfoundland. While the young men
flocked to the colors those who remained at home en-
joyed the greatest prosperity they had ever known.*

*It was obvious that when the wartime boom ended,
the loyal, stalwart Newfoundlanders would take un-
kindly to reverting to their accustomed role of neg-
lected, poverty-stricken colonials.*

**NEWFOUNDLAND: Island Into
Province, by St. John Chadwick;
Macmillan; 290 pages; \$5.95.**

Forecasting this, Clement Attlee,
then Dominions Secretary, sent a
three-man parliamentary mission to
Newfoundland in 1943. The mission
had no powers, but was asked to
report on its findings.

To assist the three MPs, the
Dominions Office sent along a
secretary—the author of this book.

St. John Chadwick, after dealing
with the history of Newfoundland
from John Cabot's time, gives a
stage-by-stage analysis of the politi-
cal, economic and social circum-
stances which eventually led to the
colony's union with Canada.

Soundly researched, beautifully
written and presented, and enlivened
by wit, *Newfoundland: Island Into
Province* was produced as a 'labor of
love. It will undoubtedly become the
definitive history of Canada's newest
province.

But its importance is greater

than that, for Newfoundland is a
microcosm of colonial and common-
wealth history and of constitutional
evolution. Additionally, its constitu-
tional history is particularly rele-
vant to such contemporary legal
controversies as the development of
the Commonwealth Court of Appeal
or the legal status of Rhodesia.

This detailed, well-documented
and authoritative study will be
immensely important to a wide
range of students.

And should you be wondering
what to buy as a small gift for a
relative or friend in Newfoundland,
your worries are over, for every
Newfie will treasure such a book as
this. — E. D. W. H.

VICTORIA TOURIST INDUSTRY STARTED 80 YEARS AGO

Other tourists that summer made
a strange pair, that had everyone
talking.

The Colonist went into great
detail about them, but didn't
mention their names, so that today
we have no way of knowing who
they were. Why the anonymity is a
complete mystery. The whole thing
reads like something right out of
fairland.

I enjoyed *The Colonist* account,
and I hope you will, too. "It is not
often that Victoria is inspired by a
visit from the great New York
'hoodlers', and the presence of one
in our midst will no doubt be looked
upon with curiosity by the public."

"He is handsome in the extreme,
magnificent in the style of his
wardrobe, and a perfect 'Adonis'
among the fair sex."

"The care bestowed upon his
personal appearance is remarkable.

His blonde hair is always carefully
parted in the middle, passing down
in tiny curls to his forehead, which
his friends in New York say are
always done up in papers before
retiring at night.

"A delicate moustache, properly
waxed, ornaments his handsome
features, and his milk blue eyes are
always hidden from view by gold
rimmed eye glasses. In physique he
was the perfection of graceful
manhood, nature being unusually
lavish in the bestowal of her charms
upon him."

"Like hundreds of the moths and
butterflies of society in a great
metropolitan city like New York, the
young 'hoodler' was heart-free and
gave up many chances, to bestow
his affections upon a beautiful New
York celebrity in the theatrical line,
who is a native of southern
California, and a great favorite on
this coast."

"For the past year this charming
soubrette has been delighting audi-
ences in London and on her return
to New York fell desperately in love
with the young 'Adonis.' So great
was her infatuation that she gave up
her profession and joined the young
'hoodler' in a precipitate flight to
Canada."

"The young actress is quite as
charming as ever, the young 'hood-
ler' as handsome as in his palmiest
days in New York."

"No doubt the charming scenery
here, and the delightful climate of
Victoria will prove a paradise of
rest and security where they can
pass many days profitably ere they
resume their flight."

Now, what on earth was all this
about? I can find no further trace
of the fascinating young couple.

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By DORIS FARMER TONKIN

Mrs. Kathleen Kirk, while superintending some improvements to a brick planter outside the Courtenay Chamber of Commerce building, glanced at her wrist watch.

"My heavens!" she exclaimed. "It's half past two, and I had an appointment at two. Lend me a dime, please?"

The surprised bricklayer complied and she dashed to the nearby phone booth and rang her husband, demanding to know if Mrs. Tonkin was there.

"She was," he replied disapprovingly, "but she's gone home — very much annoyed" (And me thinking I had cloaked my chagrin in a manner worthy of a lady of the old school!)

But I lost my cool when I got home and was voicing my opinion of swinging grandmothers who swung so far they forgot appointments with busy women, when a little blue sports car — top down in the keen March air — zipped up the hill. A moment later Mrs. Kirk was at the door, all apologies for getting carried away by her zeal to



MARION KIRK GETS TO KIDE LONESOME while Joanne and her grandmother wait their turn.

SWINGING GRANDMOTHER

Kathleen Kirk keeps up with her grandchildren

pretty up the Tourist Bureau. I put my best smile forward and all was forgiven and forgotten.

Mrs. Kirk — Kath to her friends — isn't concerned with keeping up with the Jones, and if they want to keep up with her they'll get a run for their money! She thinks the grandchildren are more important.

"It's up to the grandparents to keep family ties warm and strong," she declares, "they have the time and the wherewithal to do it."

Maybe she's right. In these days of changing family patterns, it is heartening to find someone trying to keep the record straight. But not many women of riper years would think of riding lessons just because two little granddaughters had taken to horse. But Kath says she is enjoying her twice weekly sessions, and hasn't been stiff yet. It's her burning ambition to go riding on the Forbidden Plateau with Joanne and Marion Kirk, aged respectively half past ten and nine. No doubt she'll accomplish it, for only a few years ago she went tobogganing and snow-shoeing there with her younger daughter. She has a sort of stake in the plateau, too, for she once gave a day's volunteer labor towards building the ski cabin.

Another little granddaughter, not yet four, is taking skating lessons. She lives at Nanaimo and was a turtle in the recent Ice Capades. When asked if she were thinking of taking skating lessons, Kath said enthusiastically:

"I'd love to. Probably that'll be my project next winter."

Kath is like that. Some of her interests remain static — like gardening — but she's given to new ones every so often. Just why she never took to aviation is mystifying — her older son owns and flies his own plane. "If I'd been a little younger ..." she says, a far away look in her eyes.

But age didn't keep her from going in for sports car rallies and gymkhanas and all that goes with belonging to a sports car club just before she took up horseback riding.

"I've liked open cars ever since my father gave me one for my 21st birthday, back in England," she says.

Kath came to Canada, and to the Comox Valley, in 1927 on a romantic pilgrimage to meet once more a former classmate from Reading University, whom she had not seen for seven years. Geoffrey Kirk had wanted Kath to

marry him and accompany him to Canada, but she hesitated. However, they kept up a correspondence and when she had an opportunity to visit some friends on Vancouver Island, she thought it might be fun to take a second look at Geoff, who was established in Courtenay. He was every bit as nice as she remembered him — perhaps nicer.

Anyway, the upshot was that she returned to England to prepare for her wedding. Geoff followed, and they came back to Canada on a honeymoon trip via the Panama Canal. Now 40 years later, after raising two sons and two daughters, Geoff, who was Home Oil distributor for a number of years and then founded Kirk Auto Electric, is retired.

"He's so kind," Kath says, adding matter-of-factly: "I've always been a little offbeat, but no matter what outrageous schemes I hatch, he never makes a fuss."

Her first "topless" car in Canada was a seven-passenger Packard Phaeton of 1929 vintage, which she picked up for \$100 10 or 12 years ago. It had been left for dead in a wood and was overgrown with salad, so cost quite a bit to fix up. But she drove it for more than five years, and it became a familiar sight around Courtenay, much beloved by the young folks, and Kath's pride and joy. But when it threatened further expense, she sold it and went in for small sports cars. The old one is said to be still in service, though.

Her yellow Austin Sprite won her an economy test by giving 72 miles to the gallon. Now she has a blue MG which the children love, especially with the top down.

"But gardening is my real love," Kath maintains and this is borne out by a glimpse of the extensive grounds around the Kirk home on the bank of the Courtenay River, and a peek into the burgeoning conservatory. As further proof, she recently bought a small motel, rather run down due to the owner's disability, for the express purpose of beautifying it!

"Of course I'll plant roses," she says happily, "though we'll have to hire someone to run the business."

"Keep Courtenay Beautiful," might well be her motto for many civic plantings are the result of Kath's guiding hand. That's how she happened to be involved with the planter.

Another public garden which claims her attention is the one at the Glacier View Senior Citizens' Home. As the home was originally a community project, you might guess Kath pitched in.

The Book of Remembrance which helps to provide funds for the upkeep of the garden was Kath's brainchild and the details of producing it undertaken by her.

It is a handsome, loose-leaf volume, in which anyone, for a consideration, may have the name of a loved one who has passed on inscribed, together with pertinent details. Thus it is a means of preserving Valley history as well as providing flowers for the living.

The project is sponsored by the Glacier View Home Auxiliary and there are two other members on the committee, but Kath accepts the names and advises Mrs. Marye Reynolds who enters them in her beautiful script, and also sends out cards to the donor and to the next of kin of the honoree. So there is quite a lot of work involved, but with her it is definitely a labor of love.

The book lives in a special alcove created for it at the Home and may be seen at any time. Many organizations choose this means of honoring their gone-onwards members.

Kath says joyfully that the grandchildren like to help her with her plants. The beach is another common interest, and Kath goes in swimming with the children. As she has five granddaughters and one grandson at last count, which may not be final, she will still have a lot of keeping up to do. Just wait until that two-year-old grandson gets going. He may want to be an astronaut!